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HIGHER DUTIES IN AUSTRALIA

New Tariff as Proposed Would Much Affect Canadian Trade

FISH AND TIMBER HIGHER

Government Action on Passport Question—Northwest Traffic Facilities

Ottawa, Oct. 1.—The new Australian tariff recently introduced in the commonwealth parliament has been received at the department of trade and commerce. It has not yet passed parliament, and it is, therefore, liable to undergo many changes, as it has provoked considerable discussion throughout the country. The tariff has been increased all along the line, and consequently affects Canadian trade with Australia. The duty on fish, smoked, dried or preserved by cold processes, also in tins, is 1 1-2d per pound; agriculture machinery, implements, etc., 20 per cent ad valorem; discs for agricultural implements, discs, cultivators, etc., 25 per cent; stripped harvesters, £16; harvesters and strippers, 2 1-4d per pound; furniture, 40 per cent; British preference, 30 per cent; lounges and settees, 10s each, or 30 per cent, whichever gives the highest rate of duty; undressed timber 1s 6d per 100 square feet, and as high as 2s 6d, according to size; boots and shoes, 35 per cent; British preference, 30 per cent; printing paper, 10 per cent; British, free; bicycles, £5 5s each or 30 per cent, whichever is highest; buggies and wagons, £9 18s; British, £9; motor cars, 35 per cent; rubber goods, 25 per cent. There are also important changes in the classification.

Chairman Killam of the railway commission, who has just returned from western Canada, is satisfied there will be no recurrence this winter of the tie-up of traffic which led to such severe suffering last year in the prairie provinces. The railways have made large additions to their rolling stock, and should be able to take take of all the traffic offered.

The revenue of the Dominion for the first six months of the current fiscal year, ended September 30, amounted to over $50,000,000, an increase of about $10,000,000, compared with the same period last year. It is expected that the total revenue for the year will reach $100,000,000, the largest in the history of Canada.

The supreme court opened this morning, Chief Justice Sir Charles Fitzpatrick presiding, and all the other judges in their places. Among the cases on the maritime list are the appeals in the Halifax election cases of Carney and Roche M. P.'s, and the cross-appeals of F. L. Borden and his running mate, O'Mullin. The appeals are on technical grounds, and will not be heard until all the other appeals are disposed of.

Dr. Monro, the Canadian immigration agent at Vancouver, was asked yesterday as to his authority for demanding passports direct to Canada from Japanese upon arrival there. A telegram was received from him today, stating that it was formerly the custom to do this, and he was merely reverting to it. He has been asked to stop it, as it is an infraction of the treaty.

Japanese Consul General Nosse has presented to the Dominion government a claim for damages sustained by Japanese in the riots at Vancouver. The Dominion cabinet met this afternoon to consider the claim. It is practically settled that it will be paid, that there will be no dispute, and that later on the government will look to the city of Vancouver to make good the amount. The claims aggregate between $5,000 and $6,000.

Fatal Wreck in Korea

Seoul, Oct. 1.—Forty-two persons, including 30 Japanese soldiers, were killed or injured by the derailment of a southbound train near this place early today. The responsibility for the wreck has not been located

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Miners on Trial.

Haileybury, Ont., Oct. 1.—The trials of McGuire, president of the Miners' union, charged with assaulting an officer and resisting arrest at a public meeting last week at Haileybury; Thomas Roadhouse, for using insulting language, and Frank Lightfoot, for assault, all on the same occasion, were held yesterday at Haileybury before Magistrates Harlan and Cobbe. McGuire was committed for trial at North Bay during December. Roadhouse and Lightfoot come up tomorrow.

A Vancouver Report.

Ottawa, Oct. 1.—It is reported from Vancouver that a petition praying the Dominion government to pass drastic legislation barring all orientals from Canada is being circulated. It is expected the petition will have more than fifty thousand signatures, and will be forwarded to Sir Wilfrid Laurier. The sentiment is in favor of appealing to the King if the decision of the government is not to act immediately. A despatch from Vancouver adds: "If this has no result, measures to prevent the disembarking of orientals at Vancouver, which shall be effective, will be taken."

Floods in Italy

Turin Oct. 1.—Rains have flooded the valley of the Canaro. Crops have been ruined, stock drowned, bridges swept away and railroad communication interrupted. The population is in great distress.

MANY PEOPLE MEET PRESIDENT

Characteristic Speech Delivered to Great Audience at Keokuk

Keokuk, Iowa, Oct. 1.—Keokuk put on her Sunday dress to receive the president of the United States, when he arrived here at nine o'clock today, and the people of the city were assisted in their reception of the chief magistrate by a notable gathering of distinguished men, including the governors of more than a dozen states, a number of members of both houses of congress, and the members of the inland waterway commission. The occasion of the president coming to Keokuk was the meeting in the interest of a deep waterway down the Mississippi river to the gulf, and this city was selected as the point of embarkation on his voyage down the river, which will end at Memphis next Friday. He hade a noteworthy speech at Rand park to many thousands of people.

The reception to the president both along the line of march and at the park was cordial in the extreme, and he was in excellent health and spirits. He embarked on the steamer Mississippi a few minutes before noon, and is scheduled to reach St. Louis at 9:45 a. m. tomorrow. He was accompanied by Governor Frantz, of Oklahoma, and Seth Bullock, of the Black Hills.

As at Canton, the president did not deliver his speech just as he had prepared it and given it to the press. He did not omit any portion but frequently turned from his manuscript to interject extemporaneous remarks for the purpose of emphasis and elaboration. Before beginning he insisted that the ropes be let down so as to admit enough people to fill a number of vacant seats, and when a man and woman appeared carrying children he directed that they be given chairs.

"Now," he said, when these preliminaries had been arranged to his satisfaction, "you can proceed."

Again, as on yesterday, his theme was the similar treatment for rich and poor, and again he found occasion to point his story with familiar coloquialisms.

"Isn't this good doctrine?" he asked, after stating his proposition, addressing the Grand Army group in front of him, and when he received a shout of assent he proceeded to say that, while he was willing to help the man who stumbles and falls, but not to carry the man who "lies down."

"It does him no good, and is too much for me,' he said.

He dwelt on the necessity for self-mastery, declaring that "every man must have a master," and adding that "if he does not master himself some one else will do so."

In another connection he laid down the general proposition that an A1 private soldier is worth a number of major generals, but added that an A1 major general is invaluable, the point being that individual merit is the pearl of great price in every walk of life.

He was willing to help the big railroad magnate if he was honest, and would protect him against the demagogue, but he would not desist in his condemnation of those who were not acting honestly.

"You will remember that a year ago I expressed my opinion of certain undesirable citizens," he said, "and I will stand by what I said."

He also emphasized the importance of preparation for any work. That the American people can "whip the world," he conceded, but he contended that they would have a hard time doing it if not prepared.

There was a considerable rainfall during the delivery of the speech, but the preident did not allow it to interfere in any way.

After he had concluded he was presented with a gold-headed cane by the negroes of Keokuk. The incident seemed to touch the president. He grasped the hand of the speaker, who was a negro, and held it tightly while he made reply, saying that he accepted the present with great pleasure, and added that in dealing with the negro, as in dealing with the white, he followed what he believed to be the only sane principle—that of treating every man according to his merits as an individual, regardless of race.

Drowning at Toronto

Toronto, Oct. 1.—Frank Donovan, a laborer was drowned this evening in the bay while fishing.

FRENCH TREATY TRADE RESULTS

Imports From Japan and Other Countries Will Share Benefits

SILK DUTIES TO BE LOWER

Several Countries Can Gain Concessions Under Favored Nation Clause

Ottawa, Oct. 1.—The new Franco-Canadian tariff treaty just drafted in Paris will affect also Canada's tariff on imports from Japan and from other nations in the most favored nation clause of Canadian trade treaties. Under the clause, all British countries, Argentine, Austria-Hungary, Bolivia, Colombia, Korea, Denmark, France, Algeria and the French colonies, Japan, Siberia, Morocco, Persia, Russia, Sweden, Salvador and Venezuela are entitled, in return for trade and tariff privileges granted to Canada, to the tariff rates granted the most favored nation.

The provisions for the new agreement with France are, of course, not yet published, but it may be taken for granted that the principal concessions granted to France will be on wines, champagne and silks exported to Canada. These form now by far the largest items in Canada's import trade with France. In 1906 Canada imported French silks and silk fabrics valued at $478,242 and wines valued at $1,019,839. From Japan last year Canada imported silks to the value of $471,546, this being the chief item of Japanese export to this country. Under the treaty with Japan, any tariff concession granted France on silks must also be granted to Japan. Consequently it will be seen that Japanese silk exporters will likely profit by the new treaty effected with France. In respect to other chief items of the tariff change, that effecting the tariff of wines and champagne, Spain is the only other country chiefly concerned in Canadian trade.

It was at first thought that Spain would come under the most favored nation clause, but a further examination by members of the government of the trade treaty with Spain leads them to believe that any tariff concessions granted to France need not necessarily apply also to Spain. The other countries included in the above list compete with France in but few articles exported by the latter country to Canada, and in articles of export which do not coincide with those sent from France, the volume of trade is so small at present as to be practically negligible in considering the effect of the new treaty on Canadian tariff rates against other countries.

FINE EXHIBITION AT ROYAL CITY

Opening Yesterday — Instructive Address Given by Minister Tatlow

New Westminster, Oct. 1.—Lieutenant-Governor Dunsmuir opened the provincial exhibition today in pleasant weather.

The feature of the opening proceedings was a speech by Minister of Agriculture Tatlow, in which he expounded the government policy regarding agriculture and kindred industries. He said the products of the province exceeded seven millions of dollars. But an almost equal sum was spent on products which could be raised or made here. Two million dollars were spent on butter alone. He hoped the exhibition, good as it was, would prove the procursor of much greater exhibitions.

The display is the best in the history of Westminster. Many visitors from the east are present.

MOROCCO ARRANGEMENTS.

France Makes a Number of Demands On the Sultan.

Paris, Oct. 1.—At his approaching interview with Sultan Abdel Aziz at Rabat, M. Regnault, the French minister, will make the following demands on the Moroccan ruler:

1—A settlement of all the back claims of France interior and posterior to the murder of Dr. Mauchamp.

2—A definite arrangement for policing the Algerian frontier zone.

3—A settlement of the Casablanca affair, including a contribution towards the war expenses and indemnity for French citizens who suffered from the anti-foreign outbreak there.

4—The immediate execution of the reforms provided for by the Algeciras convention, beginning with the installation at the ports of Franco-Spanish police.

The powers signatory of the Algeciras convention, with the exception of Spain, have agreed to the measures formulated by France with the view of preventing the introduction of contraband into Morocco. In spite of Spanish reservations, the measures determined upon will be placed in operation.

The French foreign office has received complete proof that Mulai Hafig is not hostile to France, but simply desires French neutrality in his contest for the sultanship. A. Taszai, brother of Mohammed Taszai, finance minister of Morocco, has arrived in Paris from Marseilles and opened negotiations to pledge the sultan's jewels for money to meet the war expenditure.

PROVINCIAL LIBERALS

About 200 Delegates Present at Vancouver Convention

Vancouver, Oct. 1.—The provincial Liberal convention opened here this afternoon, about 200 delegates from all parts of the province being present. Fred Peters, K. C., presided.

The principal business today was the reception of delegates and the appointment of committees. John Oliver, M. P. P., was appointed convener of the committee on resolutions and E. Ferguson of Nelson convener of the committee on organization, while F. J. Deane, V. W. Odlum, George Cross and J. E. Norcross were appointed a press committee.

A business meeting is being held this evening. It is expected that the convention will close tomorrow afternoon, and a smoking concert will be held in honor of the visitors tomorrow evening.

The Dominion members present are: Hon. Mr. Templeman, Senator Bostock, R. G. Macpherson, W. A. Galliher and Ralph Smith. All the members of the local opposition are present, with the exception of Messrs. Jones and Yorston from Cariboo, Dr. Kergin from Skeena and Mr. Brewster from Alberni. There is no talk of formulating a platform, the convention being solely for organization purposes.

Toronto Mayoralty.

Toronto, Oct. 1.—Mayor Coatsworth announces himself as a candidate for a third term.

SECRETARY TAFT TO THE JAPANESE

Makes Speech Expressive of Friendship at Banquet Given in His Honor

Tokio, Oct. 1.—Secretary of War Taft aroused the wildest enthusiasm and loud cheers when, in the course of his speech at the banquet given in his honor by the municipality of Tokio and the chamber of commerce, he declared that war between the United States and Japan would "be a crime against modern civilization and as wicked as it would be insane," adding that neither people desired it, and that both governments would do their utmost to guard against such an awful catastrophe. The secretary spoke with intense earnestness after careful deliberation and preparation.

The banquet took place in the assembly room of the Imperial hotel. Viscount Shibusawa presided, and the affair was attended by prominent officials and many leading business men of Tokio. Mr. Taft sat on the right of Viscount Shibusawa, and Mr O'Brien, the new American ambassador to Japan, was seated on his left. The decorations of the hall were magnificent, and a good band furnished music. Viscount Shibusawa, in welcoming Mr. Taft, paid a glowing tribute to the greatness of the Americans.

Secretary Taft began by giving thanks for his welcome and the evidence of goodwill shown. He then referred to Japan's recent war, and said Americans were proud that Mr. Roosevelt, with the prestige of the American president, hastened a peace that was honorable to both Japanese and Russians.

Secretary Taft spoke of Japan's great progress and the share America had in aiding it, and said Americans were proud of Japan, which has always had the cordial sympathy of the United States. This brought the secretary down to the recent reports of friction, and he said:

"Now, for the moment there is only a little cloud over our friendship of 50 years, but the greatest earthquake of the country could not shake our amity. I do not intend to consider details. I cannot trespass upon the jurisdiction of the department of state and discuss the events in San Francisco, but I can say that there is nothing in them that is incapable of honorable and full adjustment by ordinary diplomacy."

The secretary in speaking of war said he did not hold that war is entirely unjustifable when international grievances cannot otherwise be repressed. "But war is hell," he said, "and only a great cause which cannot be solved by diplomacy would justify it."

Secretary Taft said war between Japan and the United States would be a crime against civilization. Neither desired it, neither would gain anything from it, and both governments would strain every nerve to prevent it. The secretary characterized even the suggestion of war as infamous, and declared that goodwill toward Japan was as warm as ever. In concluding, Secretary Taft said he had been in Japan four times, and had previously been honored by an audience with the emperor. He felt that the fact that his majesty had honored him with a second invitation was due to a desire to send a message of goodwill to Americans and show the world that Japan was friendly to them.

Secretary Taft's visit in Japan began with a reception and luncheon given in his honor by Foreign Minister Hayashi at the Koshikaw Korekyen arsenal, which was attended by all the officials of the government departments, making it the most brilliant function of his visit. Replying to the speech of welcome delivered by the war minister, Lt. General Terrauchi, who expressed the pleasure felt by the Japanese at the secretary's visit, Mr. Taft reiterated his previous acknowledgements of the courtesies extended to him and the delight which he experienced at being once more in Japan. Immediately after luncheon, accompanied by the staff of the American embassy he left Tokio for Yokohama, where he held a reception of American residents at that port. The secretary and party returned to Tokio later in the day and were the guests of Percival Dodge, first secretary of the American embassy. Covers were laid for thirty. Mr. Taft is delighted with his reception here.

STREET RAILWAYS OF NEW YORK

Startling Charges Against the Company by Attorney-General

WOULD HAVE RECEIVERS

Juggling With Funds and Other Irregularities Are Alleged

New York, Oct. 1.—Startling charges of extravagance and neglectful management, or if not that, failure to account for millions of dollars, are made by State Attorney-General Jackson in a petition today calling for the appointment of receivers of the New York City Railway company and the Metropolitan Street Railway company, and also demanding the dissolution of the New York City Railway company.

The application for receivers was made to Justice Ford of the supreme court, who issued an order for the defendants to appear on October 3 in answer to the complaint.

The attorney-general's action further complicates a situation already considerably entangled by reason of the various inter-related corporations which control and operate traction lines in Manhattan Island. Adrian H. Joline and Douglas Robinson were appointed receivers for the New York City Railway company by Judge Lacombe in the district court several days ago, and today the same receivers were named in the same court, on application of the company's attorneys, to act for the Metropolitan Street Railway company

The New York City Railway company leases the line from the Metropolitan Street Railway company under a guarantee to pay seven per cent. dividends on the Metropolitan stock. This dividend has never been earned since the date of the lease, and the attorney-general charges that the deficit to date amounts to more than $10,000,000.

The Attorney General declares that the Interborough-Metropolitan Railway company, which absorbed the New York City Railway company in 1906, assumed all obligations of the company, and he sets forth that the New York City Railway company and its directors have taken no stand to force the Interborough-Metropolitan to carry out its obligations.

The allegations hinting at fraud are made in connection with the company's construction account, the most sensational being that a charge of $509,900 per mile was set aside for the rebuilding of certain surface lines.

Attorney General Jackson alleges that the appointment of receivers for New York City Railway company by Judge Lacomb, the United States circuit court was illegal and demands that the defendants be directed to pay back all money and the value of any property which was lost and wasted by either of them. The defendants named are: Daniels, Hasbrouck, De Clifford Moorshead, Herbert H. Vreeland, Richard Meade, Robert A. Camith, Charles E. Warren, Wm. Fahnestock, Solomon Guggenheim, Ralph Andetson, Jr., and the Metropolitan Street Railway company.

In his petition against the Metropolitan Street Railway company and its directors, the attorney general declares that the New York City Railway company, the lessee of the Metropolitan Street Railway company, became insolvent shortly after the execution of the lease of the Metropolitan Street Railway company under the 7 per cent guarantee, and has continued to be insolvent ever since. The liabilities of the New York City Railway company are stated to exceed its assets by approximately $10,000,000. The attorney general further declared that the directors of the defendant company who participated in the declaration of unlawful dividends are financially responsible. It is charged that the Metropolitan Securities company holds all the stock of the New York City Railway company and all six of the directors of the Metropolitan Securities, namely, Vreeland, Meade, Warren, Frank S. Gannor, Orrin Root, Jr., and Edwad W. Sayre, are directors of the New York railway, and Vreeland is president of both the Metropolitan Securities company and the New York City Railway company.

He points out that 25 pere cent of the capital stock of the Metropolitan Securities company has not been paid in, and he sets forth that the subscribers to this stock are mostly all men of financial responsibility, judgments against whom, if obtained, would be satisfied. Continuing, the attorney general says:

"That the defendants have unlawfully disposed of assets and property of the defendant company; that during the year 1902 defendants expended, or claimed to have expended, $1,284,309 for engineering and superintending expenses in changing the motive power on less than 43 miles of double track, this being at the rate of $30,000 per mile."

Conductor Killed

Toronto, Oct. 1.—Charles Ellingsworth, aged 29, a conductor on the Toronto Street railway, was killed last night by a car which passed him. He was fixing the window blinds and did not see the danger.

The Borah Case.

Boise, Idaho, Oct. 1.—A motion for acquittal was made this afternoon when the prosecution rested in the case of United States Senator W. E. Borah, and the jury was dismissed until ten o'clock tomorrow morning, at which time Judge Whitson will render a decision. The defence waived argument, but the government attorneys were heard at length.

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ALDERMAN HALL AFTER MAYORALTY

Announces Intention to Contest for Position of Victoria's Mayor

Dr. Lewis Hall has declared that he will be a candidate in the mayoralty contest at the forthcoming civic elections. For some time past it has been common knowledge that Ald. Hall aspired to the chair of the chief magistrate of Victoria, and now he has come out and declared himself in the field. Aldermanic honors he will no longer court, nothing but the highest gift at the disposal of the ratepayers of Victoria will satisfy him. And he so expressed himself yesterday.

Ald. Hall in an interview with the press declared that last year he had promised to run as mayor, and he intended to keep his promise. His eleven years service as alderman or school trustee, he claims, should count for something, and he considers that he is entitled to the position of mayor. He does not care whether Mayor Morley runs again or not. For the past two years he has, he asserts, stood aside for Mayor Morley, but he considers that two years is enough for any man as mayor, and that the present holder of the position should now stand aside.

Ald. Hall is not as yet ready to formulate, or at least to announce, his policy. He promises to later make a statement to the public, and in due course to hold meetings. One thing Ald. Hall is anxious to do, and that is to keep municipal matters free from party lines. There is no connection, he declares, between municipal and provincial or Dominion politics, and he considers that it would be a most unfortunate thing if this element be now introduced into the municipal contest. He is in to stay, so he declared, and sees no reason to believe that he cannot land the coveted honors.

Mayor Morley, when his attention was drawn to Ald. Hall's statement that he was to be a candidate for the mayoralty, had nothing to say as to whether he would seek a third term in the mayor's chair. He pleaded that he had been too busy with civic affairs and that he was not ready to make any statement, though he promised to do so at an early date. The suggestion thrown out by Ald. Hall that municipal affairs were dominated by provincial or Dominion political influences was laughed at by the mayor.

NO WORD YET FROM THE G. T. P. OFFICIALS

Local People in Dark as to Why Messrs. Hays and Morse Did Not Keep Appointment

The provincial authorities have as yet received no word from the G. T. P. officials and Premier McBride is as much in the dark as ever as to why President Hays and General Manager Morse did not keep their appointment with him.

It is believed that a number of the directors of the new transcontinental railroad are as much in the dark as are the provincial authorities. Senator Cox, who was in the city on Monday evening, could not understand what had brought about the change in plans and he thought that several of them would have arrived yesterday to explain the cause of the unaccountable action of Messrs. Hays and Morse.

The wires were kept rather busy yesterday by a number of the friends of the company in this city, but as yet, no reply has been received by them from the railway dignitaries.

QUEEN CHARLOTTE MINES

Active Operations on Some of the Properties of the Northern Island Group

Jedway, Sept. 21.—The hotel here is nearing completion. The furniture will arrive on the twenty-third, and will soon be put in place. The house will then have a grand opening, and will also be a welcome sight to the boys, as they can have their meals cooked for them while waiting for the boat to bring their mail. Jedway, having the only postoffice on Moresby Island, all the boys collect here and tell their troubles and the good luck they are having in the hills. After the arrival of the boat they stock up again, and away to the hills or another two weeks.

The Copper Queen is working two shifts now and is running into some very nice looking copper ore. The clearing for the tramway is being pushed as rapidly as possible, about 3,200 feet being cleared at present.

Collision Bay is making a move in the right direction. Mr. Tretheway, who has just bonded the property known as the Carlisle, is preparing to open it up this winter. A float has been contracted for, to be ready on the arrival of the steamer of the 23d. Mr. Tretheway is bringing up lumber for bunkhouses and all other buildings necessary for making the start. Judging from the size of the float, he must have a liberal supply of everything else. Mr. Taylor came in from Collision today and reports that the boys are making good headway with the float. Nearly all of the logs are in the water, and another couple of days will see the float put together.

Mr. Tretheway figures on putting in a tramway 2,000 feet to connect with the Meal Ticket, Cash Box and Treasure Vault claims, also a wharf, so there will be something doing at Collision Bay for the winter.

Mr. Carlisle, after settling up the affairs of the company, will take a long needed rest, to which he is entitled, as he has been working hard the last year developing the property.

New Postal Convention

Washington, Oct. 1.—The new foreign postal rules adopted at the last universal postal convention in Rome became effective today. Foreign postage hereafter will be 5 cents for the first ounce and 3 cents for each additional ounce. The new rate applies to all countries except Canada, Mexico and Cuba, where the domestic rate of 2 cents for each half ounce will be continued.

County Court on Monday

There will be a sitting of the county court on Monday next at 11 o'clock in the morning, His Honor Judge Lampman presiding.

Anglican Cemetery.

The consecration of the new portion of the Anglican church cemetery at Ross Bay will take place this morning at 11 o'clock. The bishop and clergy will robe at the caretaker's house, and the laity who desire to take part in the service are asked to assemble at the new gate in the Fairfield road.

Lectures to Men

Dr. Ernest Hall will on Saturday evening in the Y. M. C. A. auditorium deliver the first of his popular lectures of educational value. The four opening lectures will be for men only. The subjects of his lectures are: "Trip Through Hell," "Beelzebub's Banquet," a special lecture to boys, and "The Relation of Alcoholic Intemperance to Individual Degeneration." The lectures will be delivered weekly.

Chinese Theatre Opening

The Chinese theatre in the alley off Cormorant street will open for the season on Saturday evening, after a lengthy interval of darkness. A company of Victoria and Vancouver players headed by Chung Sing Wung, who conducted the Chinese theatre in Vancouver all last winter, will inaugurate the season, but will be followed at a later date by Seattle players. There are twenty people in the company which opens up on Saturday evening. The theatre closed down last May and since then has been renovated and generally overhauled. The entertainment generally begins about 7 o'clock in the evening and lasts till 12 o'clock. A Chinese drama is a wierd and, to the Occidental, an unintelligible thing, but the Chinese population seem to have great pleasure in it for they flock to the theatre night after night and the players seldom have to perform without a full house.

Children's Ball.

The arrangements for the children's ball to be held in the A. O. U. W. hall next Friday evening, in aid of the Anti-Tuberculosis society's funds, are proceeding very satisfactorily. Strong committees have been arranged to deal with the work and the refreshments and other features of the entertainment are being arranged for. It is announced that there will be a committed appointed to see that adults do not encroach upon the floor until after 11 o'clock, so that the children are certain of an enjoyable time. Miss Thain's orchestra will be in attendance.

Collingwood Canadian Club.

Collingwood, Ont., Oct. 1.—A Canadian club was organized here last night, with David Williams, president; S. W. Mathews, secretary; A. H. D. Cuttle, treasurer.

GRAIN RECEIPTS IN MANITOBA

Crop Moving Freely—Weather Wet and Unfavorable for Threshing

Winnipeg, Oct. 1.—So far as the crop of the Canadian west is concerned, conditions have not improved there. The weather as a whole has been cloudy and dull, with a good many showers, certainly not favorable weather for the stacking of threshing of grain. Receipts have increased during the week, and are now running about 157 cars per day, and the grade is excellent, fully 25 per cent. of the crop up to the present time having gone No. 2 northern or better. It is generally considered that the best sample of wheat the country has produced this season is coming forward now. Receipts are almost entirely from Saskatchewan and these are of a very mixed character. Some are exceedingly fine, while others again are affected by frost or by having been cut too soon.

While in a number of instances the berry itself is good, it looks just now as if both the newer provinces would have to depend on Manitoba to a great extent for seed grain, both wheat and other. The Dominion government has already got its men into the fields selecting samples and sending them to Ottawa to be tested for germinating power so that the department will be in a position to advise whether the wheat is up to the standard. This will save many a new beginner from loss.

A good deal of interest is centered in barley at the present time, owing to the very high prices asking on the American market and the speed with which the crop is being marketed. The extra demand is due mainly to the enforcement of the pure food law, which is compelling brewers and malters to use nothing but barley, and that of the best quality for malting purposes. The prices are not high enough to make the exporting of barley from Canada profitable, but they are certainly tending in that direction, and if barley goes to $1.50, as expected in Chicago, American buyers will be in the market here. In the meantime the high prices are helping to send the price up in Winnipeg, this being coupled with the keen demand for good malting barley to be malted in Canada. The spread between feed and good malting barley has increased in the past week, and from being 3 cents to 4 cents, it is now 5 cents to 6 cents. Receipts of barley are increasing, though not as rapidly as might be expected, considering the price, which was 63½c at Fort William on Monday.

C. P. R. Retaliates

Montreal, Oct. 1.—The Canadian Pacific railway western management is now considering the question of extending its line from Lethbridge in a northeasterly direction towards Saskatoon, through the heart of the wheat country. This is said is a reply to the invasion of its territory by the Canadian Northern, Grand Trunk Pacific and Hill lines.

Investigation in Glasgow

Montreal, Oct. 1—As was anticipated by marine men, it was decided that the investigation into the recent collision between the Mongolian and Hurona in the straits of Belleisle should be removed from Canadian jurisdiction and held in Glasgow. Commander Spain, representing the Department of Marine has been in Montreal since Friday, conferring with the Messrs. Allen and the representatives of the Thompson line, and by mutual consent the whole matter has been transferred to the British wrecking courts, although the collision probably occurred in Canadian waters.

CONCLUDE THEIR CONVENTION HERE

Independent Foresters Elect Their Officers and Transact Other Business

The high court of British Columbia of the Independent Order of Foresters resumed its session yesterday morning in the A.O.U.W. hall, when High Chief Ranger Timmins, of Vernon, presided. The report of the committee on constitutional laws was again taken up and disposed of. The committee on finance made a report which was adopted with some amendments, and some of the clauses were referred back for further consideration.

The chief ranger of court Cariboo, J. Manson, and the ladies of Companion Court Far West here, extended an invitation to the delegates to a tally-ho ride after luncheon, which was unanimously accepted at 1 o'clock. Three tally-hos were in waiting at the door of the lodge room and the delegates to the high court were seen conspicuously placed, taking in the sights of the city of Victoria. After being entertained in this manner for two hours the delegates and guests visited the parliament buildings where they were welcomed by Premier McBride and given the freedom of the buildings. The members of the high court, as well as the visiting brethern were photographed on the steps of the parliament buildings.

The high court resumed its session at 4.15 o'clock when High Chief Ranger Timmins declared the next order of business to be the election of officers, and requested the supreme vice-chief ranger, J. D. Clark, of Dayton, Ohio, to preside during the election. In almost every case the officers contest for the various positions was keenly fought, with the exception of the office of high chief ranger, which was given to E. H. Murphy, of Vancouver, by the unanimous consent of the members of the high court. After keen competition Wesley Willard, mayor of Cumberland, was elected high vice-chief ranger and M. J. Crehan, F.C.A., appointed high secretary, while C. R. King, a veteran from Court Cariboo, Victoria, was elected high councillor, and A. K. Connelly, high physician.

Victoria took away the honors from Vancouver by electing Ald. Fullerton and Edward Parsons for high auditors. The supreme court representatives, having at this juncture to leave to attend the sessions of the high court of the State of Washington, addressed the court.

Harvey Collins, in an impressive manner informed the delegates present how the funds of the organization were disposed of, and J. D. Clark, supreme vice-chief ranger, gave an eloquent address outlining the duties of all true Foresters, with special reference to the position which the "knockers" occupied. He highly complimented the Victoria delegates on the manner in which the visitors had been entertained and declared that Victoria was the most picturesque city he had ever had the honor of visiting. He hoped that the day was not far distant when he would have the pleasure of returning here to again drink in the many pleasures and beauties that are enjoyed by Victorians.

The members of the high court here rose en masse and cheered the supreme court officers and sang "For They Are Jolly Good Fellows."

In the evening the sessions were resumed and the work of the high court again taken up. Reports of the various committees were submitted, and Past High Chief Ranger F. C. Wolfenden, of Armstrong, installed the officers of the High Court for the ensuing term. After the installation of officers the retiring chiefs as well as several of the delegates from the interior address the high court, expressing their gratification at the vast strides which the order has made in British Columbia during the last term, the net gain having been three new courts and 501 new beneficiary members. Great praise was bestowed upon Thomas L. Beaven, of Victoria, who has acted in the district department during the last two years and whose work has not been equalled in any other department.

Rev. James Irvine, of Vancouver, was also praised for his efficient work and all expressed the hope that the fundamental principals of the order would be carried out by the officiers just elected.

This is the first session of the high court to which ladies were appointed to hold offices in the gift of the high court. Mrs. Carlow, of Victoria, and Mrs. Tucker, of Vancouver, being added to the staff, and E. H. Murphy, high chief ranger, in making the appointments, expressed the hope that by this innovation Forestry in British Columbia might prosper a hundredfold.

HERE IN CONNECTION WITH IMMIGRATION

Organizer of Branch of Central Unemployed Body of London is in Victoria

G. A. Williamson, organizer of the emigration department of the Central Unemployed Body, of London, England, is in the city. He has been investigating conditions in this province, and has had an interview with the provincial authorities with regard to the plans of the organization which he represents.

The Central Unemployed body has in the last year sent out about 5,000 immigrants to Canada, most of whom were located in Ontario. Strict measures were exercised to select only those fitted for the conditions they were to meet, the 5,000 forwarded being chosen from among 16,000 applicants.

The society advances money to the prospective immigrant who later refunds it. The act under which it is incorporated prevents it dealing with paupers.

The higher cost of transportation to Canada has been an obstacle in sending immigrants to this province, but it is hoped that some arrangement may be arrived at by which those immigrants desirous of coming here may be forwarded.

Strike Averted

New York, Oct. 1.—All danger of a strike of the marine engineers on the ocean and coastwise steamship lines whose vessels sail from this port bearing the American flag has been averted. It was declared last evening by representatives of both the companies and the men that a satisfactory arrangement had been reached.

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TWO ORIENTAL LINERS

Empress of Japan and Shinano Maru Sail for Ports of the Far East

Two liners sailed for the Orient last night, R. M. S. Empress of Japan of the C. P. R. and the steamer Shinano Maru of the N. Y. K. line, both carrying large complements of passengers The steamers carried another 230 Chinese homeward from Victoria, some of the number leaving on account of the recent rioting at Vancouver. The Empress liner had 124 first class passengers and 635 Chinese steerage. Among the saloon passenger were Sir Samuel Chisholm and Lady Chisholm, W. Lowe and Mrs. Lowe, a party traveling around the world for pleasure, Lady de Sausmarez, wife of the attorney general of Hongkong, H. H. Gompertz, magistrate at Hongkong, who has been spending a holiday in Victoria and vicinity and many others. Among the passengers on the Shinano Maru was N. Okuma, son of Count Okuma, leader of the Progressive party in Japan, who has been studying political science in England for two years. He is profesor of political science at the University of Tokio.

There was a new purser on the Empress of Japan, Mr. E. Syder having been transferred from the steamer Monteagle, and Mr. Weller made his first Pacific ocean trip as assistant purser, he having been previously on Castle liners plying to South Africa.

Both the outward bound steamers carried deported Japanese. The Empress of Japan had as a passenger the Japanese who sprang overboard from the steamer Monteagle when being deported and swam ashore, and the Shinano Maru carried two deported stowaways.

Race Horses Shipped Away

Most of the race horses which came here for the exhibition meet have been shipped away. The largest part of them went to California for the winter racing season there. Tom Fitzgerald shipped his string, which included Betsy, Lardy Mirthful and Silver Wedding, to Spokane for the meeting in progress there. Moody & Salts shipped Rosarie and Rona back to Manitoba to winter at Brandon. Rosarie, which went lame last Thursday during the mile race, was so sore as to be unable to walk and had to be carted from the track to the wharf.

PUBLIC NOTICE

All scavengers and other persons removing, or causing the removal of garbage or refuse matter of any kind from premises in the business, or any part of the city, are hereby notified that from and after this date they are required by the city to separate all garbage into three classes, namely:

1. Offensive or malodorous matter, such as decayed fruit, vegetables, fish, flesh, or other waste products which are, or may become offensive.
2. Combustible rubbish.
3. Solid, inoffensive matter, such as earth, ashes, etc.

And to deliver the same as follows:—1. At the scow at the foot of Telegraph street; 2 and 3, at the James Bay Flats or any other place that the City Engineer may require from time to time, and they are also further required to take notice that any person or company failing to comply with the above requirements will be prosecuted.

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"The Time, the Place and the Girl," which appears in the Victoria theatre on Monday evening next, is a most striking production in many ways. It is a new and pleasing departure, and there is nothing similar to it on the stage today. It is unlike any other production, beside, containing an interesting theme and presenting a pretty story in a manner which holds the interest of the audience throughout. There are a number of the most pleasing musical numbers rendered by a talented company. The chorus comes from the La Salle school, noted for its finished singers and dancers.

The character of "Happy Johnny Hicks," in the able hands of John E. Young, is one of the most original characters ever presented upon the American stage.

"The Time, the Place and the Girl" has been presented over 465 times at the La Salle theatre, Chicago, and has won the world's record in displaying the "sold-out" sign more times than any other theatre or production in the history of theatricals.

The sale of seats will be open on Friday.

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Still a Judge

A painter was praising the other day the artistic taste of John G. Johnson, the famous Philadelphia lawyer. Mr. Johnson has collected one of the finest private galleries in the world, and as a connoisseur he has few living equals.

"A young impressionist," said the painter, "got John G. Johnson to visit his studio last year. He showed his latest picture, and tried to get Mr. Johnson to buy it. But Mr. Johnson would have none of it. He said politely that he thought the picture was not good.

"This so annoyed the impressionist that he let his temper get the better of him. He said hotly:

"'After all, Mr. Johnson, what do you know about pictures? You never painted any.'

"'My dear sir,' the lawyer retorted, smiling, and rubbing his glasses with his handkerchief, 'I know a bad egg, but I never laid one.'"—Tit-Bits.

A visitor to a farm was especially struck by the great ruggedness and strength of one of the stalwart harvest hands, and said to the farmer: "That fellow ought to be chuck full of work!" "He is," replied the farmer, "or he ought to be because I hai'nt never been able to get any out of him."—Success.

PROGRESS OF PRINCE RUPERT

Head of Contracting Firm States Situation There is Satisfactory

James Carruthers, head of the grain forwarding firm of James Carruthers & Sons, of Montreal, a director of the Dominion bank, and president of the United Supply company which has been doing a considerable amount of work for the Grand Trunk Pacific at Prince Rupert, is in the city.

Mr. Carruthers accompanied President Hays and General Manager Morse of the new transcontinental railway on their trip of inspection to the proposed terminus of the railway in the north and expressed himself as greatly pleased with the results which have been achieved in Prince Rupert.

The hotel which the United Supply company has been building for the G. T. P. will be finished within two months. The roof is on and most of the plastering has been completed, but it will require the additional time to install the heating apparatus. The hotel will be completed and ready for business by December 1. It has over 40 rooms.

The water supply from Hay's creek will also be in operation by that time and a sewerage system installed. Water to supply the town will ultimately be derived from Shawatlans lake, a body of fresh water, some three miles away from the city, which is capable of providing a supply for a centre of 200,000 inhabitants.

The United Supply company is being wound up, owing to the unfortunate death of Mr. Russell, Mr. Carruthers announced.

Mr. Carruthers states that it is the intention of the G. T. P. officials to put the town lots at Prince Rupert upon the market next spring. The survey parties are completing their work.

At the present time the railway company has just about completed a wharf about 1,500 feet long, and a warehouse upon it, capable of housing the bulk of the freight for Rupert and the Skeena. A subsidiary company is arranging to acquire the steamer Caledonia and frieght for the Skeena will be landed at Rupert and transhipped.

Mr. Carruthers states that Mr. Hays, Mr. Smithers and the officials of the transcontinental railway expressed themselves as greatly pleased with the progress which is being made with the prairie sections of the railway. It is expected that the mainline will be completed from Portage La Prairie to Edmonton by August 1. The bridge at Clover Bar is three-quarters finished, that at Saskatoon is completed, and the one across the Battle river is underway.

The company has received permission from the railway commission to accept freight over the section from Portage La Prairie west, and as an indication of the character of the work which has been done, Mr. Carruthers stated that a train was run at a speed of 60 miles an hour over this section the other day.

Mr. Carruthers is engaged in the grain forwarding business, and his views on the situation in the northwest is therefore of much interest for he speaks with authority. While the shortage this year is very heavy, amounting to millions of bushels of wheat, the farmers will not lose as heavily as one would suppose. Mr. Carruthers estimates that the average price paid them per bushel for wheat this year will be twenty cents higher than that of last year.

"The crop was about 95,000,000 bushels last year," he stated. "This year it will amount at the most to but 60,000,000 and possibly may not go higher than 50,000,000. The wheat is of poorer quality; but the price paid will average 20 cents per bushel more than last year. It has been a freak season all through and while southern Manitoba will not suffer materially, the new provinces will feel it somewhat. It will not materially affect their advancement, however, and within 10 years the prairies will be producing 300,000,000 bushels of wheat.

"I am delighted with the signs of progress which I see in Victoria," Mr. Carruthers continued. "Three or four years ago I spent two months here during the winter and the climate was a delightful change to me after Montreal. People in the east are just awakening to the charms of Victoria, and it is certain to be the Mecca of the people of the prairie for all time to come.

"The faith which the C. P. R. have in Vancouver island has been demonstrated by the erection of the new Empress hotel. From conversations which I have had with C. P. R. officials recently, I am convinced that the next ten years will see a wonderful advancement here as well as upon the mainland."

MORE AWARDS AT THE EXHIBITION

Additional Prize Winners in the Industrial and Miscellaneous Classes

The following additional awards in the industrial and miscellaneous departments are announced by the exhibition officials:

Machinery

All kinds of electrical inventions and appliances, dynamos, lamps, heating and cooking apparatus, etc.—Diploma and medal, Hutchison Bros. & Co., Victoria; diploma, Hinton & Co.

Carriages, etc.

Display of light work, embracing folding or roll-over top seat and top phaeton, open and top buggies, tea carts, rumble phaetons, democrats and all kinds of single horse buggies, dog carts, sulkies, etc.—Diploma and medal, Wm. Mable, Victoria; diploma, B. C. Hardware Company, Victoria; diploma, John Meston, Victoria.

Dairy Machinery

Cream separators—Diploma and medal, B. C. Hardware Company, Victoria; diploma, E. G. Prior & Co., Victoria.

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Bookbinding, Printing, Stationery.

Bookbinding (blank book and letterpress) in all styles of leather sloth, pocketbooks, wallets and fancy leather goods—Diploma, T. N. Hibben & Co., Victoria.

Groceries and Provisions.

Wheat, flour, cracked wheat, buckwheat flour, pot and pearl barley, oatmeal, cornmeal, starch, baking powder, yeast, wedding cakes and confectionery of all descriptions; biscuits, bakers' bread, etc.—Diploma, Vancouver Milling company, Vancouver; diploma, Brackman-Ker company, Victoria.

Wine, Beer, Etc.

Native wines, beer, ale and aerated waters—Diploma, Thorpe & Co. (aerated waters), Victoria; diploma, Victoria Phoenix Brewing company (beer), Victoria.

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OBITUARY NOTICES

The death of Mrs. Catherine Lennie, wife of Rev. R. Lennie, occurred at New Westminster on Saturday morning last. The deceased was the mother of Mrs. G. Jennings Burnett of this city. In addition to Mrs. Burnett, four sons and three daughters survive her. The funeral took place to the cemetery at Sapperton on Sunday afternoon.

The funeral of the late Arthur Russell, whose death occurred at the Jubilee hospital on Monday evening, will take place from the residence, 45 Heywood avenue, this afternoon at 2.30 o'clock, Rev. T. W. Gladstone officiating. The deceased is survived by a widow and three small sons. The late Mr. Russell was a native of Hamilton, and has resided in Victoria for the last few years. He was a barber by business and a member of the Barbers' union. Court Northern Light, A. O. F., of which he was a member will attend the funeral in a body.

The funeral of the late Harvey G. Snow will take place tomorrow morning from Smith's undertaking parlors at 11 o'clock. Rev. Mr. Grundy will officiate.

Pigless Britain

Eggs and bacon being the real palladium of British liberty, for few self-respecting Englishmen consider their breakfast complete without them, it is really serious news to hear that the supply of native pigs is falling off. So marked is the deficiency that the butchers and Pork Butchers' Trade Association of Birmingham and district have thought it necessary to issue a special circular calling attention to it. From this we learn that for the year ended June, 1905, there was a decrease in the number of pigs in the United Kingdom of 590,030, and that 1906 showed a further decline of more than 20,000, which would have been greater but that Ireland had an increase of more than 80,000.—London Globe.

PROPOSITION TO ADVERTISE CITY

James Evans Offers to Put on Theatricals in Aid of Tourist Association

James W. Evans, who put on the minstrel show at the Gorge park during the summer just closed, and has put on other amateur shows in Victoria with equal success, was in the city yesterday on his way to Seattle, after presenting "Cupid" at Nanaimo, and announced his willingness to undertake the production of a show in Victoria in aid of the funds of the Tourist association.

When Mr. Evans first thought of coming to this province a year or so ago he was encouraged to do so by the Tourist association, and at that time offered to undertake the production of a show under the auspices of that body. When he called upon Herbert Cuthbert, secretary of the association, yesterday, he renewed his offer, the production mentioned being "A Trip Through Happyland," on which he has secured new music and many special features.

In the event of the offer being accepted the whole of the proceeds will be turned over to the Tourist association to be used in the fall advertising campaign in the prairie country.

Discussing Mr. Evans offer last night, Mr. Cuthbert said that it rested with the people of the city whether it would be accepted. Considerable assistance would be required as the production would be quite a pretentious one, and one in every way worthy of the city's best talent, dramatic and musical. If those who were in a position to assist would communicate with him within the next few days he would be much obliged as he had to let Mr. Evans know by the end of that time whether the association was in a position to proceed with the production. Personally he thought it an unusually good chance for all interested in the city's progress to help advertise the city abroad, and he would be glad to see Mr. Evans proposition taken up.

If the idea goes ahead the show will be produced in the Victoria theatre, and those who know anything of Mr. Evans past work knows that he is capable of putting on a good show.

SQUABBLE OVER TRUNK

Two Expressmen Get Into the Police Court in Consequence

William E. Estes, an express driver, was the complainant in the police court yesterday in a case of alleged assault against another expressman named Abe Drosdovitch, who has already figured in police court circles. The case was not completed, as Drosdovitch claimed that he had an eye-witness to the affair in Seattle, the matter being adjourned till Thursday to give him an opportunity of getting the evidence.

Estes' case, however, was given, and it appears that the two men had a squabble over a trunk at the C.P.R. wharf on Sunday, which ended in Drosdovitch striking the complainant after an exchange of abuse. Edward Hall testified that he had engaged Estes to take his luggage and that he had been struck first. Both men were very voluble, and it was evident that there had been bad feeling between them for some time.

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THE SUPREME COURT

A serious condition has arisen in the Supreme Court of this province. Indications of it have been manifest for a long time, but the Colonist has refrained from comment, hoping that the causes of discord would be adjusted and there would be no occasion to direct public attention to them. Anything reflecting upon the manner in which the highest provincial court is conducted must necessarily have a prejudicial effect upon the public mind, and it is only because we feel impelled by a strong sense of duty that reference is made to the subject now.

Yesterday was the day for the opening of the Assize Court in Victoria and although counsel, suitors and witnesses, some of the latter from other provinces, were present, there was no judge to sit, and counsel were compelled to make an agreement among themselves for the postponement of the trials until a future date. We believe that December was the time agreed upon. Mr. Justice Martin was in the city and was expected to preside, and it is understood that his reason for not doing so was that he had not been assigned to that duty by the Chief Justice, or by the senior puisne judge in the absence of the Chief. These are the facts of the case, stated in as few words as possible, and we submit that they disclose a condition which is intolerable. Not only are suitors greatly inconvenienced and put to needless expense; not only is there inexcusable delay in disposing of cases; but the whole administration of justice is brought into contempt.

We understand that the difficulty arises under Supreme Court Rule No. 1043, which provides that the Chief Justice shall assign tre judges to the several sittings of the court. It is claimed that until a judge has been so assigned to a sitting he has no authority to act, and that this assignment ought to be in writing. In other words the commission of the judge is to a certain extent qualified by the Rule. Thus a judge might, if the Chief Justice saw fit, be kept off the bench entirely. We do not know that this extreme position has ever been taken, but if it is the law that Mr. Justice Martin had no right to take the Assizes yesterday because he had not been assigned to that duty by the Chief Justice, he has been temporarily placed in such a position that his commission is inoperative.

It is no part of the Colonist's duty to interpret the rule. We are bound to assume, until the contrary appears, that both the Chief Justice and Mr. Justice Martin are acting strictly in accordance with what they believe to be their line of duty. We have to deal with the facts and these are that Mr. Justice Martin felt that he had no right to sit without being assigned to that duty by the Chief Justice, that the rule gives the Chief Justice the power to assign the members of the court to the various assizes, and that Mr. Justice Martin was not assigned to the Victoria Assizes by a communication in writing from the Chief Justice. If Justice Martin's view of the law is correct he is not only withi rights, but in duty bound to act it.

We do not intend to express any opinion. The language of the rule seems to be clear enough, but there may be some subtle interpretation of it, which is evident to judicial minds, but not to those of ordinary laymen. We have some observations to make in the public interest, and they may be stated in a very few words. The existing condition of things is a scandal and should be forthwith remedied. If the provincial government has any duty to discharge in the premises, it ought to be performed without delay. If there is any doubt what the meaning of Rule 1043 is, it is surely not impossible for the language to be made so clear that even His Majesty's Justices of the Supreme Court can find no difficulty in agreeing upon its intention. Perhaps the best way to dispose of the question would be by the passage of an Act at the next session of the legislature defining the powers and duties of the Chief Justice and the puisne judges.

HUDSON'S BAY.

The Toronto Globe, commenting upon the fact that the Temiskaming and Northern Ontario railway earned a net surplus during June of nearly $40,000, points out that it is the imperative duty of the government of that province, which owns the railway, to push it on to Hudson's Bay. There is not the least doubt that this great inland sea will shortly become the seat of great commerce and industry. The province of Quebec is making its plans to reach it from the east; Ontario's railway is already half way to it from the south, and the Canadian Northern are approaching it from the west. All this is of supreme importance to British Columbia, for the more the Bay is utilized the more certain we may be that the short transportation routes, which will connect its shores with ours, will be followed by a vast traffic from and to the sea at our ports. In addition to the plans of the Canadian Northern, it may be mentioned that another company has a project for a direct railway from Churchill to the British Columbia seaboard well advanced. If the necessary assistance is forthcoming, we are advised that this railway will be under construction next year from the western end.

MR. BORDEN'S TOUR.

Mr. Borden's tour through the province has been a great success. Everywhere he has met with the heartiest reception and everywhere he has made many friends by his strong and frank exposition of the policy of the Conservative party, and his vigorous criticism of his opponents. Mr. McBride, who was able to accompany him during a part of the time, also met with a very cordial greeting from his political friends, who are growing more and more numerous every day, as he exhibits in increasing degree the qualities of successful leadership. It is to be regretted than an appointment made with Messrs. Hays and Morse of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway company, which for some reason not yet known they were unable to keep, compelled Mr. McBride to hurry home in the very midst of his successful work.

There is no room for doubt as to the excellent effect which Mr. Borden's visit to the province has had. It has made the people acquainted with him, and to know him is to respect and feel confidence in him. It has completely disabused the public of the notion, which the Liberal press has so diligently cultivated, that while he is an honorable and patriotic citizen, he is not forceful and constructive enough for leadership. At his Canadian club speech in this city, Mr. Borden said that it might be possible for him to spend his declining years here. If he will not wait until the decline begins, but come out here and settle in some British Columbia constituency, he need not trouble himself to look elsewhere for a seat in the next House of Commons.

BRITISH SETTLERS

An article in yesterday's Colonist in regard to the unemployed of the great British cities brought to this office Mr. G. A. Williamson, organizer of the Emigration Department under the Imperial Act for the relief of the unemployed. Mr. Williamson conceded the general correctness of the views expressed in the article referred to, and said that the organization with which he is connected is seeking to overcome the difficulties to which we directed attention, and that, although as yet the work accomplished only touches the skirts of the problem, he is able to report very excellent results. The department has sent to Canada within a short period about eight thousand persons, all of whom have done well. He pointed out that, while for financial reasons it had not been found possible to send emigrants further west than Ontario, a considerable number of them had found their way to the Pacific coast. In his opinion, if the provincial government could see its way clear to advancing a small sum, say $5 per head, the money to be repaid, it would be possible to send a large number of very desirable emigrants from the British Isles to this province. Mr. Williamson, whose work keeps him closely in touch with what is going on in the large cities, and especially in London, says that the need of relieving the stress caused by the crowding of people into the great centres of population cannot be overestimated. The evil is exceedingly grave. The British system of relief is expensive and unsatisfactory. Something like $125,000,000 are expended yearly in the relief of the unemployed and the pauper classes, with the result that at the end of a year not only are things no better than at the beginning, but really worse, for the evil is growing all the time and it is fostered by the method of relief adopted. Only one line of action can be successful, and that is one which relieves the situation by removing from the community and establishing elsewhere under more favorable conditions as many as possible of those who are struggling against circumstances which they cannot hope to overcome. It is a very notable thing that the most strenuous opposition to such assistance to the unemployed as will make them self-supporting is from the Socialists, just as we find in this country the greatest opposition to the establishing of worthy settlers in the province is from this same class. The only conceivable explanation of this is that the Socialists as one of their speakers once said in British Columbia, desire to continue existing conditions and have them become as bad as possible in the hope that revolution will ensue. It seems to us that the time has come when the saner elements of the community ought to combine in the great Imperial work of relieving the congested centres of population in the British Isles by the emigration of suitable people to Canada and other outlying parts of the Empire, where they can become landowners and self-supporting, and where they can raise families, which so far from being a burden to the state will be a source of strength.

THROUGH OTHER EYES

Mr. H. Gray, who represented the Pall Mall Gazette in the party of British journalists, who visited Canada as the guests of the Canadian Pacific Railway company, has treated of the Vancouver anti-Japanese riot in that paper. We reproduce the article in order that Colonist readers may know the point of view of some observers. They can compare them with the opinions of the London Times, as they appeared in this paper yesterday. Mr. Gray entitles his article "Some Emotions and a Moral," and says:

There is one very solid ground of satisfaction in connection with the Vancouver difficulty, and that is the readiness of public in England to appreciate the substance and gravity of this Colonial grievance, and to understand the causes of nervous panic while none the less keenly regretting its effects. The great operating forces in human history are in a position to laugh at censure, and we may as well make up our minds that, if the current of Asiatic immigration is allowed to pour into British Columbia with the unrestricted impetus of the last six months, no subjective moral standards on the part of its population, and no efforts at external restraint, will be strong enough to arrest far worse consequences than have yet been witnessed. It is in the nature of man to fight for his country, his home, and his livelihood, and the British Columbian who watches the rising torrent of humanity which threatens to sweep him out of all these will not be inclined to scrutinise too closely the instruments that offer themselves to divert and repel the danger. It is gratifying to find that Liberal as well as Unionist organs of opinion in this country show themselves alive to the essence of the problem, and that for once at any rate the interests of a British Colony can be viewed without the perverting bias of party politics. The "Times" alone insists on drawing a red herring across the trail by denouncing the personal character of those who led and perhaps organized the recent outbreak, and pours an edifying contempt upon the trade unionists of British Columbia and those Western American fraternities with which they are somewhat too closely associated. All this let us grant to be as true as it is irrelevant. Labor politics on the Pacific slope are a good deal less than angelic, but the terms of an economic situation and the rigor of economic laws are not in themselves affected by the sins of Mayor Schmidt or the character of Mr. Ruef, of San Francisco. It might prove quite easy for an industrious investigator to rake up scandal about the railway contractors who want cheap navvies and the ladies of position who in their domestic difficulties cry aloud for the Asiatic remedy; but it would be qually beside the mark as a comment on the present crises. What the "Times" has to do is to convince the world that the demands of these diminutive classes should have preference over the solid conviction of British Columbia that the Oriental invasion means an impoverished existence, leading to ultimate exile, for the white men who are now enjoying, or may in future look forward to, a prosperous level of comfort and civilization upon its soil. The creed of the west is well expressed in a Canadian journal in saying that "nothing is more certain than that a higher civilization cannot be maintained in presence of a lower, and that the free admission of Asiatic people will submerge white labor wherever the two forces come into contact." In British Columbia there are no safeguards to prevent that contact and competition, such as the Labor Ordinance of Mr. Balfour's government attached to the admission of the Chinese to South Africa. The plea that the Japanese inroad can never be sufficient to affect industrial conditions simply ignores the plain arithmetic of the situation. Sir Wilfrid Laurier used that argument in all good faith when he carried through the Japanese treaty with its free immigration clause, eight months ago. But he would centainly not dream of advancing such a palliation of the crisis today.

The principle at stake in Vancouver is of the widest possible application. A member of the Dominion Parliament who criticised the Japanese treaty on its introduction eight months ago, put his case in a sentence which is worth quoting:

Let any fair-minded man take up a position in any one of our factories or sawmills at the hour of noon or six o'clock and see the hordes of Japanese and Chinese or Hindus going out from the works, let him follow them to their quarters and see how they live and look closely into their habits, and then ask himself whether it is fair and honorable to expect a white laborer to keep a family as it should be kept, dress his children properly, furnish them with schoolbooks, and take his place as a citizen, and yet have to compete in the labor market with these creatures who are huddled together like sardines.

We need scarcely ask how these considerations affect the problems of our own alien immigration or the phenomenon of unemployment which has grown into one of the chronic difficulties of home politics. Reflection must go still deeper until it realizes that the same antagonism is created whether cheap labor comes and settles next door or makes its goods at home and is allowed to send them in freely to compete in the same market with the output of more highly-paid workmen. It makes little difference economically whether you import the product or the producer; or, in other words, free imports and alien immigration are the same thing. The Vancouver difficulty is a vivid illustration of the penalties of the indiscriminate worship of cheapness. Dumped men are as dangerous to an industrial community as dumped manufacture. Canada was nearly ruined thirty years ago by the free admission of the latter, and she will not readily allow the former to overcloud the prospect of her magnificent future today. There is room and need for labor in her western provinces, and her environment can make useful citizens of even the most hopeless derelicts of our English race and life. But in so far as she is called upon to offer hospitality to the Asiatic, it must be on terms which will prevent the growth of a terrible dualism in her existence, and uphold the standards of a flourishing and self-respecting democracy.

Dr. Lewis Hall announces that he will be a candidate for the mayoralty at the next municipal election. Dr. Hall has had a long experience as alderman and school trustee and is deservedly popular.

Premier Ward, of New Zealand, paid a very high compliment to Canada and Canadians when, in his message replying to one from Sir Wilfrid Laurier, wishing all success to the new Dominion, he said: "The new Dominion heartily thanks her elder sister, and hopes to follow in her footsteps."

Mr. H. L. Watt, treasurer of the Canada Life Assurance Company, in an interview with the Colonist yesterday, ventured the opinion that the population of Victoria would be 50,000 inside of five years. This is a very modest estimate.

As we assume that Mr. Templeman is absent from the city at the Liberal Convention, we shall defer any observations in regard to the Bowser Bill until he has returned from the city, and this paragraph is to remind him that a retraction or disavowal ought to be forthcoming at the earliest possible day.

Demonstrating at once the efficiency of the Provincial Police department and the fact that the people of British Columbia are a law-abiding community, is the announcement of Supt. Hussey that, despite the considerable increase in population along the northern coast, there has been a marked falling off in crime.

As indicative of the huge proportions trans-Pacific traffic is assuming, it may be mentioned that no less than eight large ocean liners are due at this port during the present week. Should such a number ever arrive on the same day the accommodation at the outer docks would prove absolutely inadequate; and it would thus seem the part of wisdom for early consideration to be given to the question of enlarged dock facilities for this port.

One of the most fascinating phases of international competition which the world has ever seen is now observable in the struggle for suremacy in speed on the sea between Great Britain and Germany. An achievement in the speed of naval vessels on the part of the former country is the signal for redoubled efforts by Germany in the same direction; and we notice in the cablegram appearing in yesterday's Colonist the announcement that the new second class cruiser Stettin on her trial trip attained the remarkable mark of 25.8 knots.

The Board of Trade and the business community are to be congratulated on the success which has attended their efforts to obtain from the C. P.R. a better arrangement respecting freight tariffs. A very important concession and one which means much to Victoria is the wiping out of the charge of 50 cents per ton hitherto imposed for transporting goods from here to Vancouver en route east. On the whole, the Canadian Pacific Railway is exercising a generous and sympathetic policy in its relations with Victoria.

Advices from Pekin are to the effect that the Chinese government resents the ambitious programme of Japan in respect to the conduct of affairs in Manchuria. In this attitude China is said to be receiving the hearty support of Russia. The situation is interesting and somewhat momentous. There is this amusing feature about it. Had the late war between Russia and Japan resulted differently, China would r v, no doubt, be resenting Russian aggression in the same territory, and appealing to Japan to support her in that attitude.

Why should anyone think it necessary to say that the statement of a steamship captain that a lunar rainbow had been seen on a voyage across the Atlantic could be corroborated? Plenty of people have seen lunar rainbows, without counting those who are in a class represented by the young lady in the following story: "Did you ever see a lunar bow, Miss Johnson?" asked the professor of his neighbor at dinner, to which she pertly replied: "If you mean to ask if I ever have seen beaux by moonlight, I can truthfully say that I have quite frequently."

SPIRIT OF THE PRESS

The Coke Supply

The Crows' Nest Pass company has enough coal in the measures which it owns to supply the entire continent with fuel, and with some betterments, which of course will cost something, the Crow's Nest Pass coal company could easily keep the home plants in operation and at the same time supply the smelters in Washington, Idaho and Montana. The law says that the home plants must be supplied first, and if this is done no one will have the slightest objection to the exportation of fuel; on the contrary, everyone will be pleased to see coke and coal going out and money coming into the province. It must be thoroughly understood in the future, however, that the interests of the home plants which are paramount, must be first looked after, and looked after all the time.—Rossland Miner.

The Alpine Club

The Alpine club of Canada is the youngest in the world, having been born scarcely eighteen months ago in this city of the level plains, eight hundred miles from the field of its operations. On the twenty-second of December it will be fifty years since the inception of the first Alpine club in the world, when thirty-one English climbers met at a hotel in Covent Garden and formed an association for mutual help in mountaineering—among them Tyndall, Leslie Stephen and John Bull for whom a high mountain in the Rockies is named. They called themselves "The Alpine Club," and so the society continues to be called, although fully a score of similar clubs of equal standing and energy have been organized in different parts of the world. The thirty-one have grown to seven hundred and "The Alpine club" will celebrate its jubilee with three days' festivities in December when the President of the Canadian club is invited to be its guest. The American club, which is four years old and whose standard of qualifications is the same as that of the Canadian club, has scarcely one hundred members, while the youngest of them all has now over three hundred.—Winnipeg Free Press.

"What," queried the young man, "is the difference between white lies and black lies?"

"White lies," answered the home-grown philosopher, "are the kind we tell; black lies are the kind we hear."—Chicago Daily News.

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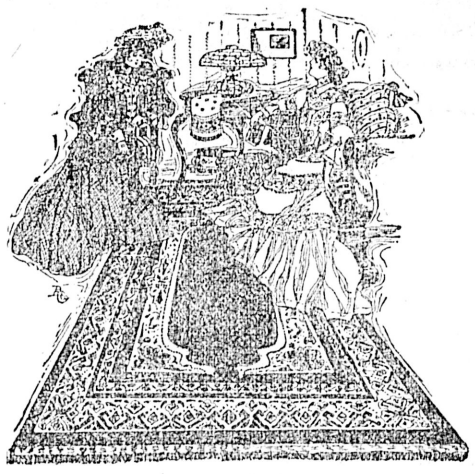

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Size 3 ft. x 15 ft., each	$18.00	Size 9 ft. x 10 ft. 6 in., each	$30.00
Size 9 ft. x 9 ft., each	$30.00	Size 9 ft. x 12 ft., each	$35.00
Size 9 ft. x 10 ft. 6 in., each	$35.00	Size 9 ft. x 15 ft., each	$40.00
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Interesting they have been to those who have seen them during the past week, and interesting they most certainly will be to you if you come to investigate. The carpets are new here—they are new and nice and good. There is "life" in the new designs that makes them "different"—"snap" you don't find every day.

We now have these new lines on display on our Second Floor, and invite you to come up and enjoy the delightful, rich Oriental designs among these new arrivals. We know you'll be delighted with these new designs, because they are exceptionally nice. The beautiful "two-tone" effect will appeal to you of a certainty.

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Been getting the house cosy and "shipshape" for the winter? Changed things about to get new effects and there still remains an indefinable something needed here and there to round out the scheme? Like as not you can solve the mystery right here—we've got such an array of odd and genius-made things to help one in such a contingency. You never saw a more fascinating lot of treasures for small outlays, than the new goods just opened.

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Mainland News

MINING CO'S BIG PAY-ROLL

Consolidate of Canada, Ltd., Pays Annually for Wages About $1,750,000

Phoenix, B.C., Oct. 1.—One of the great mining and smelting enterprises of British Columbia is the Consolidated Mining and Smelting Co., of Canada, Ltd., owning and operating the extensive Trail smelter and refining works; the Center-Star War Eagle group of gold-copper mines at Rossland; the rich St. Eugene lead-silver mine at Moyie, some mines in the Slocan, and the Snowshoe, War Eagle and other groups in Phoenix camp in the Boundary.

Up to a little over a year ago this company had no interest whatever in the Boundary, confining its enterprise entirely to the Kootenays, where it has been signally successful—which is best shown by the fact that it is paying regularly ten per cent. dividends on a capital of $5,500,000, of which less than $5,000,000 has been issued.

In the summer of 1906, however, control was obtained of the Snowshoe group in this camp, and Charles Biesel was placed in charge as superintendent. The greatest activity was at once apparent at the Snowshoe, and the mine was opened up in full blast, with R. A. Fraser as foreman. During the balance of the year 1906 the company shipped some 8,400 tons of ore, and this year thus far about 100,000 tons of ore have been sent out from the Snowshoe to the company's Trail smelter and to the smelter of the B. C. Copper Co. at Greenwood. Regular shipments are now maintained at the rate of about 600 tons daily, which rate would be increased if the smelters could handle the ore.

No little amount of development has been done at the Snowshoe since Mr. Biesel took hold. The machinery plant was about doubled in capacity, and electricity was substituted for steam. A trolley system was put in at the tunnel level, thereby reducing the cost of handling the ore. A complete water system was installed. On the surface extensive stripping was done, showing up much larger bodies of good copper ore, amounting to many thousands of tons, and the entire programme of development has been carried forward with an idea of permanency and economy, with many thousands of dollars spent in betterment of many kinds.

The New Acquisitions.

But the aggressive policy of the company did not stop with the Snowshoe. This summer the War Eagle group of some dozen claims, adjoining the Granby group on the south, was purchased from the Phoenix Amalgamated Copper Mines, Ltd., and in addition some twenty or thirty other properties were taken under option and bond. Thus the company showed that it was here to stay and proposed to secure some of the good things of Phoenix camp while they could be had at anything like reasonable prices.

At the War Eagle, on purchasing, a force of men was immediately set at work under Phil James, numbering from 30 to 50, as occasion required. Extensive surface prospecting was undertaken, the 100-foot shaft was unwatered, and an old shaft deepened.

A diamond drill was set to work, and if reports can be credited, larger and better copper ore bodies have been disclosed by the operations. The War Eagle machinery plant has been greatly enlarged an will be operated by electricity, and a commodious bunkhouse was built there.

Altogether the company employs from 175 to 200 men in this camp, making a wage payroll alone of from $17,600 to $20,000 per month.

Showing the importance of the Consolidated company, it has been published that; at its various mines and reduction works, there are employed approximately 1,500 men, the annual expenditure for wages being about $1,750,000. The operation of the properties entails an expenditure each year of some $3,500,000, exclusive of sums spent in purchase of ores. The annual tax bill of the company at full capacity is approximately $57,000.

ACTIVITY AT MICHEL

Rapid Progress Being Made on Great Northern Branch—Much Building Under Way

Michel, B. C., Oct. 1—Rapid progress is being made on the grading of the Great Northern track between here and Fernie. The timber has been cleared off the right of way. The fine weather has greatly aided in the work. Within a month the grade between here and the Elk river will be ready for the steel excepting the big rock cut near the coke ovens which will take some time to complete.

With another boarding house nearly completed the crowded condition of the boarding houses and residences will be somewhat relieved. As many as thirty families are waiting for houses, and in the meantime they are crowded in with friends. Quite a number of parties are preparing to build in the new townsite, which will still further tend to help the situation.

Chief Engineer Cavanaugh of the C. P. R., arrived here several days ago from Winnipeg and has just returned from an inspection trip over the company's line, being surveyed from Michel to the coal mines on the upper Elk.

Many sales are being reported of business lots in the new townsite, several entire blocks having already been sold. Building operations will be commenced as soon as lumber can be secured.

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NEW BOUNDARY CAMP

Announced That a Minneapolis Syndicate Will Develop a Rich Property Near Grand Forks

Grand Forks, B. C., Oct. 1.—Situated at an elevation of 2400 feet above sea level, and at the very threshold of Grand Forks, being only three miles west of the city, is Eagle Hill mining camp, which is at present attracting considerable attention owing to the numerous showings of high grade copper ore found there. One of these claims called the Gold Axe, owned by J. Holmes, has a most phenomenal showing of copper ore. The ledge on this property has been traced over 1500 feet in length and over 200 feet in width. Assays from this property run as high as 10 per cent. in copper alone. The Gold Axe is only one of forty claims in this camp which have big surface showings.

Probably the very first company to open up this camp will be a Minneapolis syndicate, which is at present negotiating for a group in the very centre of the camp. The Great Northern railway passes close to this camp, making the transportation of ore and the importation of coke for smelting purposes simply a matter of detail.

HAZELTON'S BAD PLIGHT

Famine Prices Prevail in Northern District Owing to the Inability to Get in Supplies

Vancouver, B. C., Sept. 27.—Food supplies are short and famine prices prevail in Hazelton, the Bulkley and Kispiox valleys and the Babine district as a result of the suspension of steamboat navigation on the Skeena river due to the series of wrecks of steamboats plying on that river, culminating with the disaster of the Northwest near Graveyard Point. An urgent appeal to send in supplies without a moment's delay was made.

This is in effect the substance of a score of telegrams received here during the past few days by Mr. C. S. Edwards, president of the British Columbia Transportation & Commercial Co., which has large landed and commercial interests in northern British Columbia. The company also owns the steamboat Northwest, now ashore on a sandbar below Kitselas canyon.

"We fully appreciate the conditions which prevail up there, and shall take steps to remedy them," said Mr. Edwards to the Province today. "I have instructed our representative at Hazelton to inaugurate a canoe and passenger freight service without a moment's delay between Hazelton and Port Essington. Within a few days all kinds of food supplies will be en route up the river. The service will be expensive owing to the almost prohibitive wages demanded by the Indian canoemen, who have recently been charging $150 a ton for the transportation of freight from Essington to Hazelton. With proper organization I believe we will be enabled to cut the price down to about $70 a ton. Even this figure means very high prices for necessities in the upper country, all of course due to the lack of steamboat navigation on the river.

"Good progress has been made in saving the cargo of the Northwest. We are sending up an additional crew to remove the boilers and engine of the wrecked craft. It is proposed to build rafts and float the machinery down stream. Our company has also under consideration the building of two new steamboats this winter. Late advices state that it is quite likely that the Northwest after being lightened of her machinery may be floated down and repaired. It transpires that only one portion of the keel is broken, and we hope to be able to repair her as she is virtually intact."

MAINLAND

RICH ORE FOUND

Strike Made in Moresby Island Carrying Values of One Hundred Dollars to the Ton

Vancouver, B. C., Sept. 30.—A rich strike of gold and copper ore at Thunder mountain, near Collinson Bay, Moresby Island was made last Monday by prospectors. Rough assays of this ore made on the spot showed it to carry values as high as $100 to the ton, a large quantity of gold and high percentage of copper.

A. Ikeda, discovered and manager of the Ikeda mines at Ikeda Bay, Moresby Island, arrived on the Beatrice. He shipped eighty tons of ore on the steamer to Ladysmith. One hundred and ten men are now at work on this property, two tunnels have been driven and a third is being opened up. The deposits are showing up well and improving with depth, the ore carrying $6 to $7 in gold and running 20 per cent. copper. The Ikeda wharf has been finished and a tramline six thousand feet long from the mine to the wharf is now working. A twelve-hundred-pound sample of Ikeda ore was brought down by Mr. Ikeda for shipment to Japan.

W. J. Trethway, Cobalt millionaire and formerly of Vancouver, was landed at Collinson Bay with fifteen miners and winter supplies. Mr. Trethway has taken a bond to work a property owned by Mr. R. J. Tackle and associates of Vancouver.

DECEPTION USED ON IMMIGRANTS

Victims of Unscrupulous Londoners All Found Employment at Nelson

Nelson, B. C., Oct. 1.—Of the last batch of immigrants who arrived in Nelson under the auspices of the British Emigration, Tourist and Colonization society of Liverpool, of which Rev. J. L. Brooks is president, ten in number, all have had work found for them with the exception of three who will probably fit in somewhere within the next few days. Not any one of them had made any purchase of land, but all had the idea that F. Hammond of this city would find them work which would enable them to purchase some of the fruit land which he had for sale.

Mr. Hammond is indignant over the matter and does not know what can be done except through the publicity of the press. He has cabled Mr. Brooks and also to the agent-general in London imperatively demanding that no more immigrants be sent across. That Rev. J. L. Brooks is conversant with the whole circumstances and is no longer acting under any misapprehension is sufficiently clear through recent correspondence. He writes a letter to one of the emigrants before his departure from England and says he is "worrying" over their chances of work on their arrival here, as he has sent so many men over that the company cannot find them work in clearing land on the home ranch, but at the same time assures them that he is using every effort to find them work on their arrival. Mr. Hammond says the only effort Mr. Brooks is using is the ink he is squandering.

Nelson is not the only scene of the working of this society, which is apparently nothing but a booking agency collecting their commission from the steamers on which they book passengers to Canada. New Brunswick is the latest scene of their exploits.

NEW WESTMINSTER'S FAIR

All in Readiness for Opening Today—Entries in Stock Class Eclipse All Records

New Westminster Sept. 30.—Arrangements for the provincial exhibition, which opens tomorrow, are now completed. The directorate say they only require to be in the good graces of the clerk of the weather to have the most successful fair ever held in the Canadian west. The stock entries eclipse by a long margin all previous records, even including the year when the Dominion exhibition was held in conjunction. Entries in these classes have been received from the uttermost parts of the province, and from many points situated in the sister provinces. Stock has arrived in large quantities, chiefly at present from outlying points, such as Calgary, Cariboo, Nicola, Similkameen and Okanagan. In other lines the exhibits will be just as large and already the manufacturing section is presenting a very artistic appearance, with tastefully laid out stands for the display of the many and various products of the workers in the infant west.

There are many other attractions which will be of immense interest to all visitors. Prominent among these is the lacrosse tournament, which is made more than of common interest by the presence of the noted Tecumsehs, the winners-up of the Eastern league, and claimed to be one of the most finished exponents of the national game in the Dominion. In the exhibition this year lovers of the canine race have not been forgotten, and a dog show has been arranged for. The local club has gone to big expense in securing the services of a renowned Chicago judge in this department. Entries have come in very fast, and the bench show, although the first under the auspices of the New Westminster Kennel club, will be one of the best ever held in the province.

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ORGANIZE WHOLE PROVINCE

Asiatic Exclusion League of Vancouver Outlines a Comprehensive Programme of Action

Vancouver, B. C., Sept. 27.—Things will be doing in Dominion and Provincial political circles shortly, if the resolutions of the executive committee of the Asiatic Exclusion league carry weight with a majority of the electors, as they were expressed at the committee meeting held in Labor hall last night.

Th entire province is to be organized along "exclusion" lines and the communications from various parts read by the secretary went to show, in the opinion of those present, that many sections are ripe for such organization.

In reply to communications from Victoria a deputation is to be sent to organize an auxiliary league at the capital, while Ladysmith and Nanaimo are to be visited by representatives of the local organization to perfect affiliated societies at these points. Mr. Gordon Grant, secretary of the local organization, and J. E. Phillips are to go, at the society's expense, to push the fight into the island districts.

The report that the Dominion Government has decided to send a delegate to Japan to investigate immigration conditions was interpreted by the meeting as another attempt to shelve and delay settlement of the Asiatic exclusion question and telegrams are to be sent to the Dominion Government protesting against the proposed action.

During the meeting a telephone message was sent to Dr. Monro, Dominion to investigate immigration asking if his instructions to notify transportation, and his reply was that he had notified all transportation companies that landing of Japanese not specifically passported to Canada would be stopped forthwith. Dr. Monro had made this notification on instructions from Ottawa.

The committee was strongly of the opinion that if any delegate is to be sent to Japan by the Dominion Government to investigate immigration questions he should be a British Columbian and a "fair" man by which was meant one not known to be in favor of employment of Oriental cheap labor, and conversant with British Columbia labor conditions.

Telegrams were phrased with the sanction of the committee to be sent to Sir Wilfrid Laurier, to Premier McBride and to Hon. R. L. Borden asking them pointed questions and demanding instant reply. The telegram to Sir Wilfrid which was sent last night was as follows:

"Asiatic Exclusion league endorses exclusion of Japanese unless specifically passported to Canada. Existing limitations having been already exceeded, we demand the exclusion of any further immigrants this year. We also feel that the matter has already been sufficiently investigated and that the government only needs to act. We demand exclusion by legislation; not by limitation."

OPEN NEW COAL PROPERTY

Tract of 12,000 Acres is Shortly to Be Opened by New Coal Company in Alberta

Nelson, B. C., Sept. 27.—Capt. T. H. Trethewey, a director of the newly formed Great West Coal company of Port Arthur and who was formerly manager of the La Plata mine, still retaining a large interest in that property, has been in the city for the past few days.

Seen with regard to the new coal property, Capt. Trethewey said that when he resigned the management of the La Plata mine in the spring he did so for the purpose of looking into the coal lands of Alberta. He secured the right to select from some 20,000 acres from the Alberta government, and then went east for the purpose of forming a company to take up the matter. He succeeded in interesting various people in Port Arthur, and in July returned to Alberta with a mining engineer, H. E. Knobel, and a thorough examination then took place. In consequence some 12,000 acres were purchased from the government by himself and friends.

The coal land as described is of particularly unlimited extent, there being several series of veins, one series counting eight seams and aggregating 132 feet in thickness. It is the purpose of the Great West to remain a parent company and to form subsidiary companies to work the different series.

The land is situated directly north from Frank about 20 miles, in what is known as the Crow trough. It is a coking coal much resembling that of the Crow's Nest. There are several other coal companies owning lands in the same section. They have all been handicapped by lack of transportation.

Hence the very first work of the Great West Coal company has been to invite the co-operation of these other companies in procuring transportation. Thus has been formed the Great West Railway company, formed of 200,000 shares of $5 each. It is proposed to built in from Cowley through the Livingstone gap in the Crow trough and thence northward till the main line is reached at a point on the main line near Calgary. It is also proposed to run the line south of the Crow down to the boundary with the United States and also to make connection with Frank, giving a mileage of about 200. Each of the coal campanies interested in the section are taking shares in the transportation company.

Work has already been started in the survey for the new railway, in making wagon roads and in putting up buildings for the Great West Coal company. Capt. Tretheway is enthusiastic over his scheme, which he says cannot now fail of fruition. It is rendering accessible a new section of country to settlers and is also opening a large extent of coal lands for several different companies. Capt. Trethewey declares the development of these seams means that all fears of coke shortage will soon disappear forever.

GUESTS AT CITY HOTELS

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Mrs. L. P. Mittenberger, Vancouver.
J. M. Arrington, St. Louis.
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J. W. Watson, Seattle.
Sol. Cameron, Seattle.
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W. Shannon, Vancouver.
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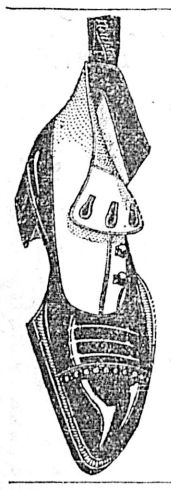

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NEWS OF THE CITY

Metropolitan League.

The Metropolitan League of the Methodist church meets at the residence of Mrs. (Dr.) Graham, No. 2 Stanley avenue, on Friday at 3 p.m.

Concert Friday Evening.

On Friday evening a musicale will be given in the A. O. U. W. hall, No. 3, for the benefit of the Victoria Seamen's Institute. Several of Victoria's musicians will assist.

Leaves for Vancouver.

W. H. Wilkerson, who has been with Challoner & Mitchell for some eleven years, leaves this morning for Vancouver, where he has taken an interest in a jewelry business.

Preparing for Business

The Sidney Creamery company has almost completed the installation of its plant and will be ready for business about Nov. 15. It is expected that it will prove a great boon to the farmers of the islands and that portion of Saanich.

Harvest Thanksgiving Service.

The Harvest Thanksgiving service at S. Saviour's church, Victoria West, will be held tomorrow evening at 8 p.m. Appropriate music will be provided, including the anthem, "Oh Lord, How Manifold Are Thy Works." The preacher will be Rev. W. Barton, M.A., rector of Chemainus.

Harvest Thanksgiving

Tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock the Harvest Thanksgiving service at St. Savior's church, Victoria West, will be held. The preacher will be Rev. W. Barton, M. A., vicar of Chemainus. There will be appropriate music and the anthem, "O Lord How Manifold" will be rendered.

Contract to Be Let.

The board of directors of the Royal Jubilee hospital met on Monday afternoon to receive tenders for the completion of the basement under the new children's ward. One of the bids was tentatively adopted and referred to Mr. Keith, the hospital architect, for certain details to be completed. When this is done the contract will be let at once, and the work proceeded with.

Locates in Victoria

C. M. Pineo of Terry & Marret's drug store leaves next week for Alberni, where he will open up a branch store for that firm. His place will be filled by C. H. Allison of Port Perry, Ont., who has just arrived in the city. Mr. Allison is an expert druggist, and for the past 11 years has been in business for himself at Port Perry.

Work for Firemen.

A defective flue at the residence of Mrs. Crocker, Esquimalt road, gave the fire brigade a run shortly after 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The services of the firemen were not required. In the evening at 7.40 o'clock a blaze in an old shack on the Dallas road gave the brigade another run. The shack had been erected by some children as a species of den, and in some unknown manner had been set on fire.

Japanese is Killed

Crushed under a falling tree while employed in cleaning away some land at Nanoose bay on Saturday last, a Japanese laborer was fatally injured and died a few minutes after reaching the Nanaimo hospital, whither he had been immediately sent. The tree had been felled and the Japanese was stooping under it when some of the branches which supported the trunk gave way and the man was pinned to the earth.

Thinks It Was Whale.

Frank Kermode, curator of the provincial museum, is rather skeptical with regard to the bones which are being exhumed at Skidegate, Prince Charlotte islands. He believes that they are nothing more or less than the skeleton of a whale. The bones were discovered unon the seashore and do not in any way correspond to those of other mammals discovered. The largest mammal ever discovered was but thirteen feet high. The discoverers now claim that the new monster must have stood forty feet high.

Farewell to Pastor

The members of the congregation of the James Bay Methodist church gave a farewell social on Monday night to their retiring pastor, Rev. W. E. Dunham. On behalf of the Ladies' Aid Rev. G. W. Dean, who occupied the chai, presented Rev. Mr. Dunham with a purse, while Miss Scowcroft, president of the Epworth league of the church, on behalf of the league, expressed appreciation of the work of the pastor and regret at his departure. Rev. Mr. Dunham, in an appropriate reply, expressed his extreme regret at leaving the congregation, a step necessitated by his intention of completing his course at college. Following the address a fine programme of music was rendered and thoroughly enjoyed by the large number present. Vocal solos were rendered by Miss Sherret, Miss Lewis, Messrs. Morrison, Thompson and Gilbert; a violin solo by Gladys Spencer and a male quarette by Messrs. Johnes, Gilbert, Ferris and Landsley.

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Victoria Musical Society

The next rehearsal of the chorus will be held tomorrow evening at the Carnegie library at 8 o'clock. As the concert will be given during the last week of November members are requested to attend the rehearsals regularly and punctually. It is important that all members attend on Wednesday as the seats will then be alloted for the season.

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The next rehearsal of the chorus of the Victoria Musical society will be held this evening in the Carnegie library. As the concert will be given the last week of next month, the importance of attending the rehearsals will be brought home to the members. Seats will be alloted this evening for the season.

Sidney Real Estate

There has been considerable activity in real estate in the town of Sidney. P. T. McCallum, of Grand Forks, has purchased a corner lot and purposes building upon it in the near future. W. Hudson, a recent arrival from England, has purchased 116 acres in North Saanich from J. A. Roberts. He will use it as a nursery and will erect greenhouses, etc., there.

More Books Taken Out

A total of 2,315 books were issued from the Carnegie public library during September, and 88 new members were enrolled. The highest daily issue of books during the month was 217, and the lowest 84. The average issue during the days the library was open was 122.5. The above is a distinct increase over the preceding month, and is indicative of the increased use which the citizens of Victoria are making of the library. It is thought that the new children's department, which it has been decided to establish, will be widely used. A separate room will be provided for the department, and in that way it will not interfere with the workings of the library proper.

New Brick Company

A number of Chinese merchants of the city have been associated in the formation of a company to be known as the Sidney Brick and Tile company, which will manufacture brick, tile, etc., at the town of Sidney. Some property has been acquired through their agent, M. A. Thomas, in North Saanich and the islands, in all amounting to about 1,500 acres. It will be used in connection with the enterprise. The new company will operate its own scows and tugs to deliver its products at Vancouver, Rupert, Victoria and elsewhere. Work will be commenced upon the enterprise at once and the most modern machinery will be installed.

Sunday School Worker Here.

Stewart Muirhead arrived last evening from Vancouver. Mr. Muirhead is the newly appointed field secretary of the International Sunday School association. He represents the provinces of Saskatchewan, Alberta and British Columbia. He is here for the purpose of attending the provincial Sunday school convention, which will be held in Vancouver October 16 and 17. Mr. Muirhead will preach in two of the city churches next Sunday evening. He will address two of the city Sunday schools in the afternoon and a meeting in the Y. M. C. A. rooms at 4 o'clock. He delivers an address to Sunday school workers at the close of the evening service in the Congregational church.

WANTS THE MONEY

Hayes' Counsel Complains of Treatment at the Hands of Police Authorities

The case against J. L. Hayes, charged with stealing $6 from F. A. Williams, did not get any further yesterday morning, though J. A. Aikman, for the defense, took advantage of the occasion to make several complaints regarding the treatment he said his client was receiving. He made another strong plea for the return of $160 found on Hayes and still held by the police. He said that the charge of stealing $6 could not have anything to do with the money found on the prisoner, which consisted of three large bills. Magistrate Jay, however, refused to make any order for the surrender of the money until he had heard the facts of the case. The police also intimated that they were trying to work up additional cases against the prisoner.

Mr. Aikman also lodged formal complaint against the police for having, as he said, assaulted his client in an effort to photograph him. He said that his client must be held innocent till proved to be guilty, and that an innocent man could not be photographed against his will. His honor, however, was not moved and the police escaped censure. He also objected to a further adjournment, saying it was the fourth asked for by the prosecution, and that in the meantime his client was languishing in jail. The case, however, was remanded till Friday to permit of the attendance of a witness for the prosecution.

THE WEATHER

VICTORIA WEATHER

Meteorological Office,
Victoria, October 1.

SYNOPSIS

The barometer is slowly rising over this province and more settled weather is becoming general with moderate winds along the coast. Light rains have occurred west of the Cascades.

The weather is fair and mild in Alberta and Saskatchewan and rain has fallen in Manitoba.

TEMPERATURE

	Min.	Max.
Victoria	49	57
Vancouver	48	55
New Westminster	48	56
Kamloops	46	66
Barkerville	28	60
Fort Simpson	42	—
Atlin	24	44
Dawson	32	42
Calgary	48	50
Winnipeg	34	64
Portland	48	60
San Francisco	54	68

FORECASTS

For 24 hours from 5 a.m., (Pacific time) Wednesday:

Victoria and Vicinity—Light or moderate winds, partly cloudy, stationary or higher temperature.

Lower Mainland—Light or moderate winds, partly cloudy, stationary or higher temperature.

TUESDAY

Highest	57
Lowest	49
Mean	53

Rain .03 inch., sunshine 1 hour.

September.

Highest temperature	84.7
Lowest temperature	40.2
Mean temperature	58.22

Total precipitation for the month 1.21 inches. Average amount, 1.75 inches. Bright sunshine, 166 hours, .06 minutes; mean daily proportion, 44.

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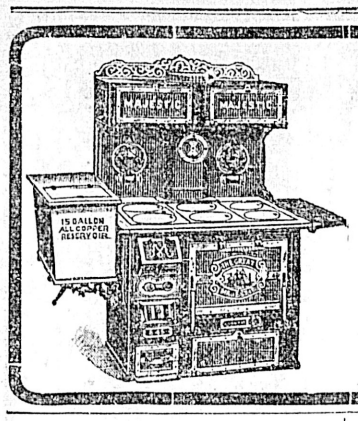

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LARGE INCREASE IN THE CUSTOMS

Figures for September Nearly Fifty Per Cent. More Than Year Ago

An increase of nearly 50 per cent in comparison with the same month last year and of 10 per cent as compared with August is shown by the customs returns for the month of September. The receipts for duty are in excess of those of last month, but the revenue from Chinese is lower. Fifty-four Chinese paid the head tax of $500, which swelled the receipts from Chinese to $27,140 during September, and a still larger number paid the head tax at Vancouver. During the same month last year but one Chinese paid the entrance fee of $500.

The returns for September at the Victoria customs house are as follows:

Duties	$110,024.98
Chinese revenue	27,140.00
Other revenues	12.75
Total	$137,177.37
Imports, free (approximate)	$ 64,000.00
Imports, dutiable (approximate)	350,000.00
Total	$414,000.00

During the month of September, 1906, the returns were:

Duties	$ 71,097.80
Chinese revenue	568.00
Other revenues	39.90
Total	$ 71,705.70

During August of this year the returns were:

Duties	$100,464.12
Chinese revenue	30,546.00
Other revenues	11.55
Total	$131,021.67

BANK CLEARINGS STEADILY GROW

Figures for Past Nine Months Show Big Increase Over Previous Year

From January 1 up to and including Sept. 30, nine months, local bank clearings aggregated $40,634,163, compared with $31,370,852 for the corresponding period last year. Not a single month this year but shows a gratifying increase over the corresponding month in 1906, and in fact with three months still to go the clearings up-to-date this year are but five millions behind those for the full twelve months last year. This steady increase in the bank figures, month after month, is eloquent testimony to the progress which Victoria is making in a business way. Clearings have been termed the barometer of trade and as such indicate the commercial prosperity of a city. This growth in local bank clearings has been consistent. In 1904 the year's total was $33,070,009; in 1905 they had increased to $36,890,464, and in 1906 the total was $45,615,615. This year it is safe to say that the figures will be well over the $50,000,000 mark.

In September the clearings totalled $4,422,859, compared with $3,874,997 for the same month in 1906; $3,472,553 in 1905, and $2,684,172 in 1904. The clearings for each month of the present year as compared with the same months last year are given below:

	1907.	1906.
January	$ 3,909,509	$ 3,515,434
February	3,750,822	2,888,017
March	4,059,507	3,873,215
April	4,554,411	3,272,826
May	4,853,411	3,320,781
June	4,848,161	2,992,569
July	5,208,912	3,849,657
August	5,026,571	3,791,456
September	4,422,859	3,874,997
Total (7 Mos.)	40,634,163	31,370,852

NO JUDGE TO HEAR CASES SET FOR TRIAL

Barristers Sore at Interruption of Business Due to Mismanagement

Though yesterday was supposed to mark the resumption of business in the courts after the vacation, there were no chamber cases yesterday, nor was there any sittings for the hearing of civil cases, though two cases were set for trial. All the lawyers were there and waited all the morning and part of the afternoon, but no judge showed up. All preparations had been made for the cases set down for trial, and the necessary witnesses were in attendance, but all to no purpose. Several prominent barristers expressed themselves quite strongly concerning a state of affairs which was said to be discreditable to the court as impeding the conduct of public business and being discourteous to the profession.

Under the rules, the chief justice, or in his absence the senior puisne judge, assigns the work to the various judges. In the absence of the chief justice, Mr. Justice Irving is the senior puisne judge, but he is in Vancouver, presiding over the assizes there, and it is stated that he omitted to make provision for the court here before leaving. Mr. Justice Martin is in Victoria, but, it is understood, he did not consider that he was entitled to sit without having been specifically assigned in accordance with the provisions of the rule referred to.

Not for Some Weeks.

The Chinese boys who are seeking through their solicitors to compel the school board to admit them to attendance at the public schools of the city, will not be able to obtain a hearing of their case for some weeks yet. The case for the school board has been taken up by the attorney-general's department, which will defend the action of the board's superintendent in refusing the Chinese permits. Peters & Wilson, who represent the Chinese in the case, have been notified that the attorney-general's department will not be prepared to go on with the case at the next session of the supreme court.

BOARD OF TRADE GETTING RESULTS

Two Recent Achievements to Be Reported at the Next Quarterly Meeting

The president of the board of trade will have several important achievements upon which to congratulate that body when it assembles a week from Friday for the regular quarterly meeting. A great deal of important work has been unostentatiously performed by the board lately, two reforms of the first importance have been finally effected within the last two months.

One of these is the problem of relieving the congestion at the E. & N. depot. This has been occupying the attention of the board for a long time past, and every ligitimate pressure that could be brought to bear has been exercised upon the railroad authorities until they have at last taken measures which will afford a temporary relief at anyrate. The recent acquisition of the Albion Iron Works by the railroad for freight terminal purposes is the direct result of the continual representations which have been made by the board and its appropriate committee on all occasion. Now that the work has been started the board has been assured that it will be rushed through and that it will not be long before the undue delay in receiving and despatching freight will cease to hamper the expanding commerce of Victoria.

Another important victory is the abolition of the differential in favor of Vancouver on all east bound freight The extra payment of 50 cents a ton was a serious handicap in bidding for competitive business in many lines, and its removal hould tend to stimulate business with the mainland. The abolition of this charge will have an important moral effect quite apart from the actual relief experienced. It has been one of the familiar arguments of certain Vancouverites when occupied in knocking Victoria that it cost more to ship goods from Victoria than it did from Vancouver. This has now ceased to be the case, with the result that wholesalers and manuafcturers in Victoria are no longer at a disadvantage. They can now do business at the same cost and live in a pleasanter city.

A third matter which has been occupying the attention of the board and which is now reaching a point when success seems to be a possibility of the near future, is the building of a road from Goldstream to Mill Bay along the Saanich Inlet. In this question the board has had the support of the Tourist Association and the Automobile Club as well as that of all private individuals who are interested in that section. It will be remembered that the matter was brought before the house at the last sitting, but was not put through largely on the score of expense. It was represented that such a road would cost a quarter of a million and that such a sum was out of the question. The road as then suggested would have wound close to the sea which would have necessitated the cutting through of a number of heavy rock bluffs at great expense, but the government has had a surveyor out there this year who has located a road which, while keeping sufficiently near the water to preserve the scenic effects, will avoid the heavy bluffs. An estimate of the cost of the new route is now being made by Dennis Harris and those familiar with the ground expect the cost will range from $50,000 to somewhat less than $100,000.

The road will pass chiefly through land belonging to the Canadian Pacific railroad which has agreed to donate the right of way free of cost. This road will when completed take the place to a large extent of the present road, which makes a big detour on its way north over the Sooke divide by Sooke Lake. This road reaches an altitude of 1,600 feet, is frequently very narrow and is anything but a good road from any point of view. It, alone of the island roads, is invariably the cause of unfavorable comment on the part of visiting motorists, and most of the motor accidents on Vancouver Island have taken place on it. The new route will never exceed 200 feet in altitude and passes through scenery of surpassing beauty. When completed it will be the finest drive in North America, and will unquestionably lead to a number of sporting clubs and resorts springing up along Saanich Inlet, thus increasing the attractiveness of the city from a tourist point of view. It will also be of great benefit in opening up a country which is at present wholly dependent on one line of railway, as the Sooke road has too great a grade to be generally used by farmers with loaded teams. The board awaits the announcement of the result of Mr. Harris' calculations with great interest, and it is confidently expected that favorable action will be taken by the house at the next session.

Members having new business to bring forward at the quarterly meeting are requested to notify the secretary at once, so that he may include a notice of same in the call sent out to members.

ORIENTAL PROBLEM

Mayor Morley Has Called Public Meeting For Tomorrow Night

At the request of a number of citizens Mayor Morley has called a meeting for next Thursday in the council chambers at the city hall for the purpose of discussing the matter of Oriental immigration into this province, and as the meeting is a public one and the subject one which has aroused keen interest a large attendance is expected. The trades and labor council has taken an active part in the matter, and it is to a great extent by reason of the request of that body that Mayor Morley decided to call the meeting. It is likely that the advisability of forming an anti-Oriental league will be considered and a deputation from the Vancouver league will be present and explain the workings of their organization. Similar meetings will be held at Ladysmith and Nanaimo. The speakers for Thursday night's meeting have not yet been announced.

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Clunes, who is but seventeen years old, was sentenced in March, 1905, to serve three years for breaking into a store and stealing tobacco. Since his confinement the boy has proved a model prisoner, cheerful and willing. His conduct was such as to win for him the good opinion of the reformatory officials.

Some weeks ago the governor of the reformatory wrote to the secretary of state at Ottawa, advising that Clunes be allowed out on parole, and in expectation of the latter being granted a situation was secured for him. In the meantime the boy, doubtless led astray by his three companions, made the futile dash for freedom, thus wiping out all the good effects of his former exemplary conduct.

On the very day that news of his capture with his companions and their return to prison reached Victoria, a communication was received by the attorney general's department in this city from the secretary of state stating that the recommendation of the governor of the prison that Clunes be granted parole was approved.

The parole will now be revoked, and Clunes will have to serve out his sentence.

VICTORIA LADY TAKES THREE MONTHS' DRIVE

Miss Holden Travels Over Sixteen Hundred Miles, Going From Montreal to New York

The following account of an interesting trip made by Miss Holden of this city in company with J. C. Holden of Montreal, appears in the Montreal Witness:

J. C. Holden, of the Ames-Holden Co., Limited, has just returned from a very pleasant and interesting trip taken to fill out a summer holiday. Accompanied by Miss Holden, of Victoria, B. C., he started out from Montreal early in June with his carriage and pair, and travelled over sixteen hundred miles, spending over three months on the tour. Their itinerary extended to New York city, by way of the Adirondacks, Saratoga, Lake George and through the picturesque region which skirts the eastern banks of the Hudson. On the way they turned aside to visit the far-famed Lake Mohonk resort, situated between the Hudson and the Catskills. The journey was further varied by a visit to New Jersey and a short sojourn with friends there. The return trip was made along the west side of the Hudson, when a second visit was made to Lake Mohonk and later the Adirondacks were visited from the south.

At Lake Placid two weeks were spent, and Mr. Holden says he cannot speak too highly of the mountain resort, which, during the season, is crowded with thousands of visitors.

Mr. Holden entered the United States at Rouse's Point, after which he found the roads invariably good. The weather throughout the tour was all that could be desired, and the hundreds of towns and villages visited along the way, and the beauties of farm and forest and mountain, gave to it unending variety. The tour was taken in very leisurely fashion, the distance traveled daily averaging from twenty-five to thirty-five miles, the maximum reached being fifty-five miles.

Many trolley trips were taken to neighboring towns and Mr. Holden is impressed not only with the beauties but with the enormous wealth and resources of the region visited. The entire trip was made without any accident worthy of mention and the horses have proven their quality in that they return from this delightful summer jaunt as fresh as when they set out from Montreal.

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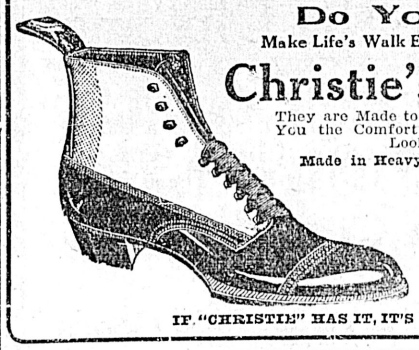

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PUBLIC MEETING

In compliance with the request of a number of citizens, notice is hereby given that a public meeting will be held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Thursday, the 3rd of October, next, for the purpose of discussing the question of Asiatic Immigration into British Columbia.

Chair will be taken at 8 o'clock sharp.

A. J. MORLEY,
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In Woman's Realm

In devoting more space than formerly to the affairs of women, the Colonist is taking a step, which it is hoped our lady friends will appreciate. Any communication from them of general interest will be welcome and carefully attended to.

HERE AND THERE

An eastern exchange comments on the fact that while there are 456 women preparing themselves to become teachers this year in the province of Ontario, only 25 men are attending the normal schools of the province. The fact that the education of the rising generation is falling almost wholly into the hands of women is a feature of our modern life upon which many people look with grave misgivings.

It is felt that while the education of little children may safely be left in the hands of women, most boys and some girls need in the latter years of their school life the control and guidance of strong, wise men.

Like so many things in these days, this is largely a matter of money. Few people nowadays, if ever, enter upon an occupation or profession from the love of their work. Perhaps among teachers the number is larger than in most other classes of workers.

The salary even of professors in the universities is not so high as a man of much less ability can earn in business or professional life, while the income of the ordinary teacher does not equal that of a good tradesman. It is not much wonder that so many young men refuse to enter upon a business that requires a long course of preparation, involves hard work and is indifferently paid.

If, then, the parents of Canada feel that their boys should be educated by men they must see to it that their teachers receive a salary commensurate with the importance of their work. In this province the proportion of men to women teachers is much larger than the figures we have given indicate that it is in Ontario.

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In yesterday morning's paper was an account of the recapture, after a desperate struggle, by two members of the provincial police of four lads who had made their escape from the provincial reformatory. One of these was a Victoria boy, who began to break the law when a mere child. Everyone, we think, will find their way into the courts, and from them to the various institutions for the punishment of criminals. It is a matter of congratulation that at length we have a provincial reformatory, and no expense should be spared to make it really what its name implies. This is a matter in which women are vitally interested. These lads, who have so early become Esaus, looking upon all the world with suspicion and hatred and in their turn viewed with dislike and distrust by society, should in the reformatory find fitting, though not degrading, occupation, kind and good teaching and rational amusement. Punishment and, no doubt in some cases, severe punishment, will be necessary, but it should not be for a moment lost sight of that the reason the boys are sent there is to enable them to become useful members of society. The self respect which the lads have by their evil courses forfeited should in course of time be regained and gradually the children—for, after all, they are only children—learn to feel that they have become strong to resist temptation. This institution should be carefully watched and every facility afforded those in charge of it to do effective work.

In this connection an interview with W. P. Archibald, parole officer of the Dominion government, published in the Montreal Witness, is interesting. While Mr. Archibald thinks that there is no better mode of teaching normal children, who for any reason are without natural guardians, than that of placing them in foster homes, he does not believe that this should be done where children have already acquired vicious habits, and this both for their own sakes and for the welfare of those innocent children with whom they will be brought into contact. Men or women become criminals generally between the ages of 16 and 26. A child can usually be reclaimed from the path of vice before he enters upon this period, while, on the other hand, it is very hard to change the thought and purpose of one who has gone beyond it.

All reformation should begin in early years, and parents should realize, says Mr. Archibald, that the most potent factor in the destiny of their children is the lesson of self control and obedience. Only upon these virtues can be built a superstructure of enduring manhood and true womanhood.

Mr. Archibald's hope for the future is in education. He says: "I have a strong faith that education, moral, social and industrial, will do much toward the banishment of crime and the reformation of the criminal."

WEDDING ANNOUNCEMENTS

Willemar-Cooke

A very pretty wedding took place at the St. Andrew's church, Comox, on Wednesday, September 25, the occasion being the marriage of Adelaide Mary, eldest daughter of Rev. J. X. and Mrs. Willemar, of the rectory, Sandwick, and Jack White, only son of Captain W. Cooke (retired), Sixteenth Middlesex Rifles, and Mrs. Cooke of Trevose, Westerham, Kent, England.

The church was crowded, the decorations being carried out in autumn shades. The ceremony was performed by the bride's father under a beautiful bell of white and pink asters. The bridegroom was supported by Arthur Netherby of Cumberland.

The bride, looking lovely in a princess gown of soft white net, over silk, embroidered in palm leaves and studded with pearls, wore a tulle veil, with wreath of orange blossoms. She carried a bouquet of white carnations and was given away by her mother, who was gowned in a black princess dress with lace yoke.

The maid of honor, Miss Kathleen Willemar, looking charming in a princess frock of pale blue silk eloiene over pink and large mushroom hat, trimmed with pink roses and chiffon, carried a bunch of roses. The bridesmaids, Miss Dorothy Green and Miss Annie Robertson, wore, respectively, pretty princess frocks of pale mauve and pink silk mull, with mushroom hats, trimmed with roses, and carried shower bouquets of mauve and pink asters. They wore dainty brooches of turquoise forgetmenots and pearls, the gift of the bridegroom, his present to the bride being a diamond and emerald ring, and to the best man a handsome green leather cigar case with silver initials.

After the ceremony a reception was held at the rectory, the home of the bride. Tea was served on the lawn, where the newly married couple received the congratulations of their friends. Later a dainty supper was served to the wedding party.

The presents were numerous and beautiful.

Lendrum-Ward.

On Monday afternoon the home of Mrs. Ward, Langford street, was the scene of a pretty wedding, when her daughter, Mary Jane (Mamie) was married to Edward Godfrey Lendrum, an employee of the British Columbia Electric Railway company.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. A. E. Roberts, pastor of Victoria West Methodist church. Miss Imogene Cox and Miss Violet Semple were bridesmaids, while the bride's brother, Charles McNaughton, and Robert Robertson were groomsmen.

The bride wore a white silk dress trimmed with pointed esprit, and the bridesmaids' dresses were crepe de chine with lace trimmings. The house was very prettily decorated for the occasion and the ceremony was performed under a beautiful floral bell.

After receiving the congratulations of their friends the happy couple left for a trip to the Sound. Among the wedding presents received were the following: Groom, diamond ring; Mrs. Ward, diamond and ruby bracelets; Dr. and Mrs. Baker, silver teapot; Miss V. Semple, silver cream and sugar basin; Mr. and Mrs. Spofford, silver cake basket; Mr. D. and Mrs. J. L. McNaughton, silver tea spoons; A. Semple, clock; Bert and Ray Baker, cut glass knife rests; Miss Thorpe, silver salt and pepper set; Miss Jean, Leslie and Edna McNaughton, silver coffee spoons; Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Robinson, China cream jug and sugar bowl; Capt. and Mrs. Cox, cut glass berry bowl; D. A. McNaughton, carving set; Mr. and Mrs. D. G. McNaughton, biscuit jar; Frank and Sadie Cherry, glass water set; R. Robertson, China tea set; Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Clyde, five o'clock tea cloth; Mrs. Waters, hand painted cushion; Mr. and Mrs. Cherry, dinner set; Mr. and Mrs. Redding, tea set; Mr. and Mrs. A. Semple, chocolate set; Mr. and Mrs. B. McNaughton, brush and comb tray; Doris and Edna Oldershaw, vinegar set; Mr. and Mrs. B. Oldershaw, silver knives and forks; Mrs. F. Baker, China tray; Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Gold, vase; Mr. C. Geiger, silver fruit knives; W. G. Gordon, silver salts; Mr. and Mrs. Armstrong, China tea set; Capt. and Mrs. Warren, silver spoons; R. L. Cox, butter knife; Mrs. Phipps, glass fruit bowl; Mrs. M. Black, China berry bowl; Irene Black, bon bon dish; Imogene Cox, hand worked cushion; Miss L. E. Simpson, steel engraving; B. C. Electric employees, Morris chair; Mrs. Oldershaw, sr., oak rocking chair; Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Taylor, gold brooch; Miss Warren, lace curtain; Mr. S. Ward, cheque.

WOMAN'S WORK

The first concert of the Ladies' Musical club will be held on Saturday next at 3:30 p. m., in the lecture room of St. Andrew's church. It is hoped that there will be a full room at this opening concert. The following is a copy of the programme:

Piano duett by Tschaikowsky, Mrs. L. Hind and Mrs. Fleet Robertson; vocal solo, Mrs. Herchmer; violin solo, Legende, by Wieniawski, Mrs. Lawry; piano solo, 4th Mazurka by Godard, Mrs. Howitt; vocal solo, Mrs. Bantly; piano solo, Mrs. Bantly; no encores.

Members will be privileged to bring friends by paying an admission fee of 25 cents for each person. All members, active and associate, will be required to show their tickets at the door or pay the usual admission fee.

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The "Fears of Children," and "The Nervous Child," are the subjects for discussion at the meeting of the Mother's Club to be held this afternoon in Spring Ridge school, at 3 p. m.

Strangers and all interested are cordially invited to attend.

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All active members of the Ladies' Musical club willing to take part in the choral work this season are requested to attend the first combined rehearsal with the Ladies' Choral class at the Poplars, Bellot street, on Thursday next, October 3, at 8 p. m. Owing to the absence of the secretary, some names may have been inadvertently omitted when the notices were sent out, and it is hoped that this will attract the attention of all those ladies who wish to assist in the same. The weekly practice will begin punctually at 8 p. m.

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The Victoria Ladies' Hockey club will hold their general annual meeting at the residence of Miss Wilson, 1462 Fort street, at 8 p. m., on Thursday. At this meeting the election of officers will be held and the work of the season organized.

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On Friday, Sept. 20, the diocesan board met in St. Saviour's Sunday school. The second vice-president, Mrs. Miller, in the chair. There were twenty-four members of the board present, and many other workers. Prayers were read by Rev. C. E. Cooper.

Mrs. Miller spoke of the absence of the president, and the secretary was instructed to write to the president expressing the congratulations of the board upon the birth of a daughter. A letter was read from Mrs. Luxton, first vice-president, regretting that owing to her absence from the city, she was unable to attend the meeting.

The roll was called and the minutes of last meeting read and approved. From the minutes arose a question concerning the money taken as collection at the annual meeting, and which in June had been voted to be spent upon a gift for the church in Alberni.

The church in Alberni had unselfishly considered that others were in greater need, and had suggested using the money elsewhere. The need of cassock, surplice, etc., for services in Highland district had been suggested and the board was asked to give its approval. Upon motion of Mrs. Averill, seconded by Miss Moore, it was resolved "that money be used in Highland district."

The treasurer's (Mrs. Wollaston) account showed for the month the receipts being $39.70, and the disbursements $2, with several outstanding bills not yet presented for payment. She read letters from Miss Carter, general treasurer, and Miss Allen, Toro, Uganda, explaining a mistake made in the amount voted at the annual meeting; that £5, not $5, was required to support a bed in the hospital, and asking permission to transfer the money from the hospital fund to the fund for building an industrial school. Upon motion of Mrs. Clarke, seconded by Mrs. Peters, this permission was granted.

The treasurer also read letters from Mr. Lloyd and Mr. Harold Edwards acknowledging the receipt of Miss Ard's life membership fee. She reminded the parochial treasurers that the thanksoffering boxes should be sent in next May, and requested that money for pledges be sent to her at least once a quarter. As the general treasurer paid salaries monthly or quarterly, and having money on hand was a great help.

A discussion here arose concerning subscriptions and Mrs. Averill explained that at the recent visit of Mrs. Cummings, editor-in-chief of the Leaflet, she had regretted that the printer could no longer print the Leaflet at the present price, $300 more being required each month. She was unwilling to raise the price of subscription and asked for some other suggestion as to a means of meeting this demand. After some discussion the secretary was instructed to write to Mrs. Cummings expressing the willingness of the diocese to pay increased subscription as the simplest way of meeting the demand.

The Dorcas secretary, Mrs. Hiscocks, reported a bale sent to Van Anda hospital by the Duncans branch, one to Lytton hospital by the Cath. seniors, and a surplice value $4.50 sent to Mr. H. Edwards, Saskatchewan, by ahe Cath. Juniors. She reead a letter from Miss Halson concerning the work for the year, and a special appeal for Christmas gifts for Miss Riddel's leper hospital the bale to be packed at Christ church Sunday school and dispatched by Nov. 1.

The corresponding secretary, Mrs. Cooper, read a letter from Rev. J. H. S. Sweet, clerical secretary to the synod, containing the following resolution passed by the synod at its meeting in August: "Resolved, that the synod hears with satisfaction of the increasing interest in missionary work by the Women's Auxiliary with its junior and girls' branches, and urges upon all parishes the formation of branches of the Women's Auxiliary and of work among men and boys."

And further, "Resolved, that an annual report of the work of the Women's Auxiliary would be heartily welcomed by the synod in future."

She read a letter from Mrs. Tilley asking for the appointment of a secretary to act upon the committee for Indian work. It was decided to leave this matter over until the next meeting.

The Leaflet secretary, Miss Gill, had no report.

The literature secretary, Mrs. Toller, reported no new work done, but said that after next meeting, the quarterly intercession papers would be sent regularly to each branch for distribution among the members. She urged a freer use of the library by individual members, and thanked Mrs. Beaven for the copying pad which had already proved of use.

The C. C. M. literary secretary, represented by Miss Cook, reported two boxes having been sent in June and one in September; that Capt. Troup had kindly given permission for these boxes to be carried free of charge to Van Anda and Rock Bay hospital, therefore one could be dispatched now every Tuesday; she urged the members not to grow weary in supplying these boxes.

The junior secretary-treasurer, Miss Moore, had no report.

The organizing secretary, Miss Turner, had no report, but asked that some one would volunteer to take her work, during the next three months, as owing to home duties, she was unable to do it. She spoke of the thankoffering boxes, and urged every member to take one.

Mrs. Toller then read a most instructive paper upon "The Mission to the Jews in Montreal," prepared by the Rev. R. Connell, Cedar Hill. This paper is to be copied and copies sent to each branch to be kept for use as reference.

After singing the Doxology, the ladies of St. Saviour's served tea and the meeting adjourned.

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PERSONAL MENTION

The Colonist readers are asked to assist in making this personal column as complete as possible. Send or phone items to the city editor.

Harold Payn Le Sueur of Morley, Alta., who has been visiting in Victoria during the illness of his brother, A. W. Payn Le Sueur, left yesterday for his home. Mr. Arthur Payn Le Sueur has been ill of typhoid fever, but is well on the road to health. Mr. Payn Le Sueur and family will take up their residence here, having rented a house until his Quadra street residence, which is building, is finished.

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Mrs. Marion Allan, who has been visiting with relatives in Spokane, has returned home.

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Mrs. Thomas Ewing has arrived from Scotland to join her husband, who has been residing in Victoria for some time. She was accompanied by her brother-in-law, Alex. Ewing.

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F. W. Rizzall, of Neck House, Grimsby, England, president of the Antiquarian and Naturalists' society of that place, was a visitor last week at the provincial museum. With his wife he has been touring Canada and is now returning home.

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H. H. Horsey and wife of Kingston, Ont., who arrived in the city on Tuesday last sailed lat evening on the Empress of Japan for Japan and China. Mr. Horey was formerly in the insurance business in China and has large interests in the Orient. Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Nickle, also of Kingston sailed by the same steamer.

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W. M. Naden, M. P. P., who has been spending the past two weeks with his wife and family left on Monday for Greenwood. Mrs. Naden remains at Cherry Bank.

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Mr. and Mrs. Cooke are spending their honeymoon in this city and are guests at the Balmoral hotel.

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Clara Lacey Graves of Des Moines, Iowa has been at the St. Francis hotel a couple of days, sight-seeing on her way to Portland, Ore.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Beaven are visiting friends at Salt Spring for the pheasant shootng.

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Mrs. Smithe is down from Somenos, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Leeming Dallas road.

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Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Perry left on the Charmer yesterday on their way to Summerland, B. C. Mr. Perry has resigned his position as commercial master in Victoria high school, after a period of two years' services, and has accepted a position as professor of English in Okanagan college at Summerland.

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Mr. and Mrs. James Johnstone, of Nelson, B. C. spent yesterday in Victoria and leave today for the mainland to attend the New Westminster fair. They visited the department of agriculture at the provincial buildings yesterday.

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J. R. Anderson, deputy minister of agriculture leaves today for New Westminster to attend the fair. He will return Friday. F. M. Logan, dairy commissioner with the majority of the judges of agriculture, dairy and live stock products, who were in attendance at the local exhibition are now in New Westminster.

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R. M. Palmer, commissioner of horticulture, left on Monday for the mainland.

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Mrs. S. Hooper, of Winnipeg, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Percy Webb, 324 Menzies street.

Among the visitors to the city yesterday was Dr W. T. Kergin, M. P. P. for the Skeena constituency, who is on his way east. During his stay in the city Dr. Kergin called on Premier McBride and Hon. R. G. Tatlow. He left for Vancouver on the afternoon boat. It is Dr. Kergin's intention to spend several months visiting the chief centres of eastern Canada and the states, going as far as New York. He will return to British Columbia in time for the opening of the legislature.

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W. H. Ellis of Vancouver was in the city on Monday on a business trip.

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Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Law of Silverdale, B. C., who have been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. R. Lewis, Third street, have returned home.

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Basketballers From Frozen North Will Take Trip to Victoria

Dawson, Oct. 1.—A Dawson basketball team, a team of whirlwinds that will go out for all championships in sight along the coast and beyond, is planned to leave here within the next six weeks. Jack Eilbeck is back of the movement. He has begun to make his selections, and is picking up chiefly the men who comprised the Colts baseball team of the last season. If the team materializes for the long jaunt to the coast, it will go as the Klondike team, garbed in yellow, the color of the gold which has made Yukon famous.

Dawson will get there. At least it appears that a portion of the Klondikers will get there, and knock the stuffin' out of the basketball for the glory and the honor of the great Golden North. At the meeting held in the D. A. A. it was decided to send a team to the outside under the name of the "Klondike Basketball team." The colors under which the northern wizards will play will be blue and gold, the blue signifying how the other fellows will feel after the battle, and the gold the product that has made Klondike famous.

The Klondike team will go into training at once. Officers were elected as follows: Honorary president, Governor Alexander Henderson; honorary first vice president, B. McLennan of Vancouver, B. C. former mayor of Dawson; honorary second vice president, Dan McGillivrary of Seattle; president, Jack Eilbeck of Dawson; first vice president, C. R. Settlemier; secretary-treasurer, "Doc" A. S. Reid; manager, J. Pottinger; captain, M. Finlaison.

A long general discussion followed, in which it was agreed that the team should seek contests all along the coast, and in as many other cities as possible. Those who submitted their names as players last night are: Mique Finlaison, J. Hancock, Milkton Douglas, J. Pottinger, Ed. Jackson, "Doc" A. S. Reid, W. H. Wilson, Bert Ogburn, Charley Cameron, J. McKean, Y. Young, William McCarter.

RACE AT NEW WESTMINSTER

Chandler and Burn to Run at Fair This Afternoon

Vancouver, Oct. 1.—W. R. Chandler, champion long distance runner of the Pacific Coast, and Arthur Burn, of Calgary, champion of the North West will meet in a match race tomorrow at New Westminster. The event will be run off in conjunction with the athletic sports in which all of the star athletes of the Pacific Coast will be brought together.

Representatives of the two runners met met last night. Burn was present at the meeting and asked for a seven-mile race. Mr. Jas. Findlay, acting on behalf of the local runner held out for ten miles, and after a lengthy discussion the easterner agreed to this distance. It was decided, however that shoud Chander defeat his man at the ten miles a return race should take place in Vancouver one week from next Saturday, when the men would run at Burn's favorite distance—seven miles. However, in the event of the Calgary runner defeating the coast champion he has agreed to give Chandler a fifteen-mile race one week from next Saturday. In any event there will be a return race, so that Vancouverites will have an opportunity of seeing the two men in action in this city.

SECOND BEST LIGHTWEIGHT

After his fight with George Memsic last week Joe Gans said: "Burns is a better man than either Britt or Nelson. I could have knocked him out several times but did not want to take any chance with such a strong fighter, who has a knockout punch in each hand. He did not hurt me. He is one of the gamest men I ever met and a comer."

Burns said: "I rushed the fight every second and believe I should have had a draw. Only Gans' cleverness saved him."

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PHILADELPHIA GETS DRAW

Time Saves Quakers From Defeat by Marleybone Cricketers

Philadelphia, Oct. 1.—The last of the series of cricket matches between the Marleybone eleven of England and the Gentlemen of Philadelphia ended today and resulted in a draw. The Englishmen scored a total of 346 runs in their two innings. The Philadelphians made 227 in their first time at bat, and had 120 to make in their second to win the match. It had been agreed to stop play at 1 p. m. to allow the Marleybone team to catch a train for Toronto and Montreal. The Philadelphians had a narrow escape from defeat, as with 120 runs to make they just managed to hold the Englishmen safe by playing for time. With nine wickets down for a total of 60 runs, the local players had only eight minutes to save their tenth wicket and prevent defeat. By careful playing they managed to do this, and the match was declared a draw.

NEW UNION STAYS

Hamilton, Oct. 1.—President Seymour, of the Hamilton Rugby Football club, received word from the Montreal Football club to the effect that the provincial arrangements made at Toronto on Saturday night were satisfactory to the eastern players, and that the inter-provincial league will go through. At the meeting on Saturday a new form of affidavit was prepared, and the clause referring to the C. A. A. U., which, it is said, was the sticking point with the easterners, was left out. As now framed up the inter-provincial football league does not recognize directly either the C. A. A. U. or the Federation.

The new affidavit is to the effect that the player in question never received any remuneration for competing in athletic sports, and has not violated the recognized amateur rules except by playing with or against recognized professionals. It concludes as follows:

"In consideration of my suspension from competing in amateur sport being removed, I declare it is my intention to continue in good standing according to the definition of the inter-provincial Rugby football union, which is the same as the Canadian Rugby fotball union which I have read."

Expecting that this change would be acceptable to the easterners, the committee on Saturday night prepared the following schedule:

October 5—Toronto Argonauts at Montreal; Hamilton at Ottawa.

October 12—Montreal at Hamilton; Ottawa at Toronto.

October 19—Montreal at Ottawa; Toronto at Hamilton.

October 26—Hamilton at Montreal; Toronto at Ottawa.

October 31 (Thanksgiving Day)—Ottawa at Hamilton; Montreal at Toronto.

November 9—Ottawa at Montreal; Hamilton at Toronto.

VICTORIA WEST ATHLETIC CLUB

Annual Meeting of Association Held in Clubhouse on Catharine Street

At the annual meeting of the Victoria athletic association held Monday evening in the gymnasium on Catharine street, the following officers were elected: Hon. president, Hon. R. McBride; president, L. Tait; vice-presidents, A. Monteith and G. Okell; secretary, Rev. A. E. Roberts; treasurer, Rev. C. E. Cooper; financial secretary, P. Wilson; executive committee, M. Okell, H. Monteith, W. H. Lawson, P. Craft, F. Brown, W. Crocker and R. Muir; membership committee, W. Okell, C. Sedger and E. Tait; floor committee, C. Brown, W. Okell, S. Okell, R. Muir and F. Jenkins.

There was quite a large attendance at the meeting and considerable enthusiasm was manifested. Over fifty members were enrolled, and it is expected that a score more will register for the winter season. Sergeant Nott has been secured as instructor, and he will be in attendance on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays of each week. L. Oliver has undertaken the work of instruction in tumbling, and will be in the gymnasiums Tuesday evenings. T. Neil will teach wrestling and therefore no detail of gymnasium work will be overlooked. The first regular practice will be held tonight with Sergt. Mott in charge.

WESTERN GAME TOO ROUGH

E. B Wright, special writer for the Mail and Empire and the Star, of Toronto, who accompanied the Tecumseh lacrosse team west, saw the game on Saturday between the New Westminster team and the Maple Leafs and as a result of his observations was able to make some pointed comparisons respecting the eastern and western styles of play. Mr. Wright was particularly struck with what he termed the looseness of the officials. Discussing the match in a friendly spirit, he stated that there was entirely too much slugging allowed. If participants in an eastern game attempted to check with the stick as wildly as was characteristic of Saturday's game, there would be a dozen men laid off. "Easterners do not slug, but when they find occasion to use the stick, it is not a succession of raps that leave him sore all over for a day, but one good swipe that puts him out of commission." This sentiment was expressed by several other members of the Tecumseh team. According to Mr. Wright, easterners check with the body, and striking at the opponent with the stick is sharply dealt with by the referee.

Mr. Wright also stated that the style of overhand passing was out of date among easterners. They had found the short sharp underhand passing most effective, and at the present time not even eastern intermediates use the overhand passing. Mr. Wright's logic was that the New Westminster boys, being smaller of stature than the Tecumsehs, would stand a better show with the underhand system because they would be more apt to get under their opponent's guard.

TECUMSEHS WIN FROM VANCOUVER

Easterners Lead Coast Team By Ten Goals at Finish

New Westminster, Oct. 1.—In the second of the series of lacrosse games to take place during the annual exhibition here, the Toronto Tecumsehs, runners-up in the National Lacrosse union as the champion Montreal Shamrocks, won from Vancouver seniors by a margin of ten goals. The score was 17 to 7. The pace was fast and furious from start to finish, but the Easterners clearly outplayed the Coast team and deserved their victory. They displayed a good strong defence with a very fast scoring home division, in fact it was on the home that the Indians chief strength lay. The Vancouver defence men found it simply impossible to keep them out from the net and they bombarded the goal unceasingly.

Bob Cheyne of Vancouver and T. Grey of this city were the referees, and the teams lined up as follows:

Tecumsehs.	Position.	Vancouvers.
Clark	Goal	Gibbons
Griffiths	Point	McConaghy
Stuart	Cover Point	Yorke
Pickering	First Defence	W. Matheson
Davidson	Second Defence	Springer
Rountree	Third Defence	Garvey
Felker	Centre	West
Querrie	Third Home	G. Mathieson
Whitehead	Second Home	Cameron
Muton	First Home	Cao
Durkin	Outside Home	Cowan
Adamson	Inside Home	H. Ravey

The next game is on Thursday, between the Vancouvers and Maple Leafs for possession of third and fourth prizes. Tecumsehs play New Westminster next Saturday.

Physical Classes Commence

The physical classes at the Y. M. C. A. commenced for the season this week, and Professor Findlay is elated at the interest being shown in the programme laid down for the winter months. The classes have all been well filled, and some of them are exceptionally large.

TORONTO WINS CHAMPIONSHIP

Minor League Honors Go to Eastern League Winners This Year

Columbus, O., Oct. 1.—By defeating Columbus today the Toronto club of the Eastern league won the class A minor league championship. Only five games were played and of these Toronto won four, two here and two on her own grounds. The series of games aroused but little interest here and the patronage was disappointing to the players. Today's game was called at the end of the eighth inning on account of darkness.

JOCKEY BADLY HURT.

Rider at Brighton Beach Is Probably Fatally Injured.

Brighton Beach, N. Y., Oct. 1.—Salvadore, running to his best form, easily won the Cup preliminary at one and a half miles at Brighton Beach today, and in doing so made a new track record by stepping the distance in 2:30 4-5. Jockey W. Doyle, whose mount, Moorhees, stumbled and fell soon after the start in the sixth race, received injuries which may prove fatal.

High Prices for Stock

The well known race horses El Chihuahua and Youth, which ran during the exhibition meet last week, were to have been auctioned off by L. S. Eaton yesterday at the auction sale of Smitth Bros., high class milk cows, buggy and team horses, farm utensils, etc., on Cook street dairy farm, but were not put up, a private deal for the transfer of the animals being made on the tapis. The sale of cows and horses was one of the largest sales ever held in Victoria. Phenomenal prices were realized, cows selling from $75 to $140 each. Four brought $100 each.

Extension From Lethbridge.

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DETROIT RETAINS NARROW LEAD

Tigers Win From Washington and Athletics Beat Cleveland

Philadelphia, Oct. 1.—Philadelphia kept up the fight for the American league pennant by shutting out Cleveland today in easy fashion. Today's victory of Detroit over Washington makes the standing of the two leaders the same as before the games.

Dygert, who retired early in the game yesterday, was in the box for the locals and Cleveland was unable to touch him. He held the visitors to three singles and a double. The home team started the scoring in the first inning. After Hartzell flied out to Birmingham, Nicholls beat out an infield hit, Seybold flied out to Flick. Nicholls advanced to third on Davis' hit to right and scored on Murphy's single to centre. Two runs were added in the second. Oldring flied out to Hinchman. Schreck, Linninger and Hartzell made successive singles. Nicholls then forced Schreck at the plate. Seybold hit the top of the right hand fence, scoring Linninger and Hartzell. In the third inning Berger was succeeded by Rhodes and the latter held to local for four innings with but one hit. In the seventh inning the home team scored one run. Dygert walked, Hartzell singled to right and Dygert was caught at third base. Nicholls singled to left, Hartzell taking third and scoring a moment later on a long fly to centre by Seybold. Score:

		R.	H.	E.
Cleveland	000000000	0	4	0
Philadelphia	120000100	4	10	1

Batteries — Rhoades, Ferger and Lewis; Dygert and Schreck. Umpires, Connolly and O'Loughlin.

Great Finish by Tigers

Washington, Oct. 1.—The Detroits today again demonstrated the staying qualities that have signalized their playing in the east and won out after having allowed their opponents to gain what appeared to be a winning lead.

In the sixth inning with two men out and the score 3 to 1 in favor of Washington, Cobb began a batting rally with a single to centre. Rossman hit into the crowd in left field for two bases, Cobb going to third. Coughlin doubled to right, tallying Cobb and Rossman and tieing the score. Schmidt drove Coughlin home with a single to left, and the inning ended with the score Detroit 4, Washington 3. Detroit clinched the game in the next inning, Schaeffer scoring after two were out on his single and a steal and Crawford's stinger to centre.

Detroit started the scoring in the first inning. D. Jones walked, Schaeffer sacrificed, Blankenship to Delehanty, Crawford flied to Delehanty. Cobb singled through short, and Jones scored when Warner threw to second to catch Cobb. Washington got two in the third and took the lead. Johnson beat out a slow one to Coughlin. Milan flied to Rossman, Ganley scored when Cobb threw wild to Coughlin.

Washington scored again in the fourth. Jones doubled to left, Shipke singled to centre, scoring Jones. There was no more run getting until the sixth, when the Detroits turned back the tide of defeat and retained their premier position in the struggle for the pennant. Score.

		R.	H.	E.
Washington	00021000 00	3	8	2
Detroit	10000031 00	5	11	4

Batteries—Johnson and Warner, Siever and Schmidt. Umpires—Brown and Hurst.

American League Schedule.

The schedule of games still to be played in the American league is as follows:

Philadelphia—
With Cleveland, Oct. 2, 3.
With Washington, Oct. 4, 5, 5.
Detroit—
With Washington, Oct. 2, 3.
With St. Louis, Oct. 5, 6.
Chicago—
With New York, Oct. 2, 3.
With Cleveland, Oct. 5, 6.
Cleveland—
With Pheladelphia, Oct. 2, 3.
With Chicago, Oct. 5, 6.

ATHLETICS NOT IDEAL.

Tim Murnane Does Not Like the Philadelphia American Leaguers.

Tim Murnane, the veteran baseball writer, president of the New England league, has this to say of Connie Mack's Philadelphia American league ball team:

The Athletics are far from an ideal ball team, not to be compared with the three western clubs which have made the race this season depending on the very best pitching staff in the business. The Athletics play their best games on the home ground, while long drives count doubles on the very small grounds.

I saw the Quakers play eight games last week and came to the conclusion that inside ball was not their long suit. In fact, I failed to note a clever move of the Athletics' players. The old style game from start to finish—bank away and take chances. Little bunting and less sacrifice work with the hit and run, their favorite play when at bat. Eight players out of the nine each day could hit; five of the men were long drivers, and in addition they have two of the best left hand pitchers in the business. These men are on edge and Boston had the satisfaction of sending all but Eddie Plank to the stable.

Double-headers had the slab men guessing, but "Clever" Connie Mack was always using his head to good advantage. I don't know what the Athletics would do without this delightful character. Never ruffled under the most trying circumstances, with a good word for all. The Athletics are fast for large men, but need warm weather for their best work, therefore making the Quakers a poor choice for the leading honors in the world series.

Most of the Quaker players have seen long service and need warm weather to limber up their joints. I am satisfied they are game, and in Nicolls they have a grand, good ball player, a great ground coverer and a batsman. Jimmie Collins is limping about with a bad knee, but a strong man with the stick and as game as a red hackle. As the weather grows colder the ex-Boston man is likely to slow up and lose out on "bunts." While the Athletics lack the swell form of the ideal ball team, they will make a great stand on their own park.

A Warning to Mothers

Too much care cannot be used with small children during the hot weather of the summer months to guard against bowel troubles. Give Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and then a dose of castor oil, and the disease may be checked in its incipiency and all danger avoided. Sold by all druggists.

BASEBALL SCORES

National League.

	W.	L.	P.C.
Chicago	104	46	.693
Pittsburg	88	57	.607
New York	82	67	.550
Philadelphia	77	64	.546
Brooklyn	65	80	.448
Cincinnati	63	84	.429
Boston	55	90	.379
St. Louis	49	99	.331

Tuesday's scores:

At Cincinnati—Cincinnati, 3; Brooklyn, 0.

At Chicago—Chicago, 2; New York, 1 (eleven innings).

At St. Louis—Boston, 1; St. Louis, 2.

American League.

	W.	L.	P.C.
Detroit	88	56	.611
Philadelphia	84	55	.604
Chicago	86	61	.585
Cleveland	83	65	.561
New York	67	77	.465
St. Louis	65	81	.445
Boston	58	97	.374
Washington	48	96	.333

Tuesday's scores:

At Boston—St. Louis, 2; Boston, 1.

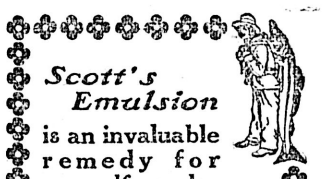
At New York—Chicago, 1; New York, 3.

At Washington—Washington, 3; Detroit, 5.

At Philadelphia—Cleveland, 0; Philadelphia, 4.

Hockey Club Annual Meeting

The general annual meeting of the Ladies' Hockey club will take place at Miss Wilsons, 1462 Fort street, on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.



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The rapid growth of general freighting between Victoria and adjacent ports has induced Leeming & company to decide upon the immediate construction of a steam freighter, slightly larger than the steamer Trader, built on similar lines for the general freighting business done by this firm.

The steamer Oscar owned by Leeming & Co. which has been engaged for some years in general freighting, has been sold to Brackman & Ker and will carry produce and foodstuffs from the Fraser river to Victoria for this well known firm. The Oscar was built here about ten years ago by Capt. Stromgren and associates. The charter of the steamer Cascade of Leeming & Co. to the marine and fisheries department of the Dominion government to carry material for the construction of new lighthouses and the sale of the steamer Oscar left the company without a vessel for its own freighting, and the steamer J. L. Card was taken on a time charter.

The J. L. Card is, however, too small to cover the expanding business, and it has been decided that a new steam freighter will be built for the company. Plans for the new vessel are now engaging the consideration of the company and it is expected tenders will be invited within a few days for the construction of the vessel.

The small freighters, which now make up a considerable fleet, have been enjoying a good carrying trade for some time past and with the growth of business it is being found necessary to add other vessels, of which that of Leeming & Co. will be the first.

MAY CATER FOR THE NEW ZEALAND TRADE

H. C. Walrond, Principal Owner of Canadian-Mexican Line is Considering Step

H. C. Walrond, principal shareholder of the Canadian Mexican steamship line, and a prominent member of the well known shipping firm of G. T. Symonds & Co., who is investigating business conditions in the Pacific with regard to the possibilities for shipping, may join with shipping friends in the placing of several, probably four, large and modern steam freighters in the Canadian-New Zealand service if the proposed reorganization of that service is carried out. Mr. Walrond has been making arrangements for the securing of further business for his steamers Lonsdale and Georgia, which are engaged in the Canadian-Mexican line, and will leave in a few days for Mexico overland to look into trade conditions at the other end of the line.

Mr. Walrond yesterday stated that he had not yet made any arrangements for placing other steamers in service on this coast, but was looking into the possibilities with that end in view. He had not concluded any arrangement as yet but might be able to make an announcement in the near future.

Mr. Walrond is interested in many ventures, mostly in shipping, and incidently has invested some thousands of dollars in Kootenay mining. With his partner, Mr. Symonds, he is interested in a steamship service between Marseilles and Alexandria, recently established to cater to the first class tourist trade to Egypt, the line being covered with turbine steamers, each of which cost two and a quarter million of dollars. He is also interested in many commercial ventures, one of which is the Heliotrope and Oasis company, of Cairo, Egypt, in which more than two million dollars has already been invested.

While in Mexico Mr. Walrond hopes to be able to arrange for further business for the Lonsdale and Georgia, both of which are able to cope with the trade as it stands at present. Larger steamers will be placed in service, however, as soon as the trade warrants such a step. There is a considerable demand in Mexico for coal and lumber, as well as in many lines of manufactured goods that Canada can supply. The Canadian-Mexican line is willing to meet shippers in the matter of freights and will do all possible to assist in the development of trade. The Tehuantapec railroad and other Mexican concerns are willing to secure all their coal supply from British Columbia, and there is a market for as much lumber as local mills are willing to supply.

JAPANESE NOT WANTED

Man From Nippon Deported From United States Sent Back Again.

Apparently neither Canada nor the United States wants Tetsujiro Kotayashi, a Japanese without passports. Kotayashi was deported from Seattle. He came to Victoria and returned Saturday night because the Canadian immigration officials refused him admittance. He is once again at the detension shed at Smith's cove and was delighted to get back, for there he receives his meals with praiseworthy regularity and has nothing to do but enjoy life.

The Japanese was originally arrested near Blaine in August, because he had no papers. As Immigration Officer William Stanton was sent to Victoria with Kotayashi Thursday night, after a board of special inquiry, and the immigration authorities at the national capital had ordered his deportation. Saturday night he went back again, refused by Canada.

C. P. R. STEAMERS SAIL

Princess Beatrice, Tees and Queen City Leave on Different Routes

Three steamers of the C. P. R. Steamship Company left port last night on different routes, the Princess Beatrice for Naas, Prince Rupert and way ports, the steamer Tees for Clayoquot and way ports of the west coast of Vancouver Island and steamer Queen City for Rivers Inlet and way ports. The three steamers each carried fair complements.

The passengers booked for west coast ports who sailed on the steamer Tees were: Mrs. Williams of Port Renfrew, Mrs. Rector for Alberni, R. H. Wood, G. W. Stephens, D. H. Riddell, J. Grieve, Capt. Roberts, Mrs. Cox for Alberni, Col. R. Topping, W. Sheppard, F. H. Bishop, J. W. Jones, H. McClure, J. Ward, and a party of miners for the Sidney Inlet mines.

NEW LUSITANIA IS TO BE CONSTRUCTED

John Brown & Co., of Clydesdale to Build Vessel—The Lusitania in Service

Messrs. John Brown & Co. of Clydesbank are reported to have received an order from the Cunard Steamship company for the constructiontion of another steamer similar to the Lusitania and Mauretania. The second of the big liners about to enter service is expected to be faster than the Lusitania, her speed on the trial being stated as 2 61-2 knots an hour. Speaking of the arrival of the Lusitania at New York, Shipping Illustrated of that city says:

"Inspection of the ship shows that abaft amidships the entire space of all the decks above the water line is devoted to passenger accommodation and all the space below the water line to machinery, while so much of the space forward of amidships is used for crew accommodation and ship stores that the argo holds are very much smaller than would ordinarily be expected in a vessel of her size. As to coal consumption, it is stated on good authority that the Lusitania took aboard before leaving Liverpool 7,000 tons of the best coal and burned on the way across an average of 1,040 tons a day. Even with this she was unable to attain the speed of 25 knots, for which she was built and which she slightly exceeded on her trial. In this respect she has been a disappointment, but better speed is hoped for her a little later on, although it may be doubtful that she will do quite so well on the way back to Liverpool now, as upon her westward passage, on account of the difference in the quality of coal received in New York. This is the idea of an independent engineer who examined the ship and watched her coaling here, but results will be watched for with a great deal of interest. With such a tremendous coal consumption, requiring the services of about 400 men to look after the machinery and furnaces, to say nothing of the equal number in the steward and deck departments, the expense of operating such a ship may be imagined. A glance through the passenger decks of the Lusitania helps to give one the idea that she is really a floating hotel. The conspicuous feature of the saloon accommodations is the veranda cafe on the smoking room deck, which is somewhat like that of the hotel veranda, being furnished and equipped with an outlook the full width of the ship toward the stern. The small tables in the dining saloon are also hotel like."

CAMOSUN LOST THOUSAND

Slow Telegraph Service on the Skeena Results in Loss to Steamer

On her last trip the steamer Camosun lost $1,000 as a result of a telegram sent from the Upper Skeena being delayed. The Port Essington Sun tells the tale as follows: "After the steamship Hazelton beached at Oliver's riffle, a mining party on board telegraphed the Camosun, then in port, to lay over one day, naming the consideration close to $1,000. The wire was sent, and the party came on by canoe, expecting to meet the Camosun here. To their utter dismay they found the boat had left, and the wire sent the day previous had not reached its destination in time to intercept the boat. It is a pretty tale to unfold, this, that a canoe can beat a wire to Essington any day in the week. And the federal government is installing wireless on the coast, and our Dominion member is stalking grizzlies and talking about better postal facilities on the Stikine river."

SUBSIDY MAY NOT BE RENEWED

British Government Unwilling to Renew Mail Contract With C.P.R. System

The report comes from Montreal that there is a possibility that the imperial government may decline to renew the contract with the Canadian Pacific railway for the carriage of the mails between Great Britain and China and Japan, says the Ottawa Free Press, the Liberal organ of the capital. The contract does not expire until April 6 next, so that there is plenty of time for negotiations, which are now being carried on, but the fact that the new contract with the P. & O. company involves a faster service than that now given by the C. P. R. via Vancouver, would lead to the impression that unless the C. P. R. put faster boats on the Pacific they might lose the existing contract. This may have led the president of the C. P. R., Sir Thomas Shaughnessy, to have expressed the opinion which he does in this year's annual report to the effect that it might be desirable to transfer the Empress of Britain and the Empress of Ireland to the Pacific, replacing them on the Atlantic by more speedy boats.

But that would, of course, take time. It would need at least two years, probably three, before the new boats could be ready for service, and it is understood that the negotiation now in progress look to a temporary renewal f the existing entract pending the construction of the new vessels. The Canadian government is understood to be urging this action upon the imperial government on grounds of public policy, pending a decision as to the subsidy to the All-Red steamers, which would naturally include a mail service to China as well as to Australia and New Zealand.

A Montreal despatch says: Under the contract the C. P. R. gets a total subsidy of sixty thousand pounds per annum, of which the Canadian government contributes fifteen thousand pounds, but when the contract was made both the admiralty and the war office refused to depart from precedent, and refused to be in any way a party to the agreement, announcing that a subsidy could not be defended on either naval or military grounds. The view held is that the subsidy does not supply a new shipping route, as that route would be absolutely useless except for postal purposes. Some of the opponents of the subsidy even go further and say that the arrangements, while costly to the British ratepayers, may even in the final outsome prove detrimental to their interests, as both Canada and the United States might use the route for their commerce with the far east, and in that case a subsidized route would give American competitors of British monufacturers an easier access into the China market.

Formerly under the agreement, the board of admiralty made a contribution towards the subsidy of £7312 from the navy vote, but as they declined to be a party to the present arrangement, that vote has ceased, and the probability of a continuance of the contract is said to be very slight. The house of lords has already expressed itself as disinclined, viewing the contract with disfavor, saying, "My lords do not regard with favor the grant of subsidies on commercial grounds, and they take note of the opinion recently expressed by a select committee of the house of commons that a general system of subsidies other than for service rendered is costly and inexpedient.

Since the C. P. R. has been carrying the mails by this route there is no doubt that an immense impetus has been given to travel via Canada, while the carriage of mails between Liverpool and Hongkong has been reduced in time from forty to thirty days. But the P. & O. company, who formerly carried the mails via the Suez canal, has now put faster boats on that route, and to crown all, it is stated that the mails can be carried overland via the trans-Siberian railway to Vladivostok, some days quicker than they can possibly be carried by either steamship route.

There is no doubt that the delay shown by the executive of the C. P. R. in regard to ordering the new boats which they intend placing on the Atlantic has been occasioned by the uncertainty prevailing in regard to this subsidy question, and in shipping circles it is now stated that the C. P. R. is making every possible endeavor to make up for what it will lose when the present subsidy ceases by negotiating for the largest subsidy in sight for faster steamships on the proposed All-Red route.

RUSSIANS SEIZED PAPERS

Gunboat Took License of San Francisco Vessel, But Returned It.

Capt. Stensland, of the fishing barkentine City of Papetee, which arrived at San Francisco on Sunday from the Okhotsk sea, reported that on June 19 the captain of the Russian gunboat Manjur took possession of the City of Papetee's papers saying:

"You have no right to fish here."

He answered: "We have a right and are going to fish anyway."

On July 10 the Manjur returned the papers and said that the crew on the schooner John D. Spreckels went on shore for water and wood and set the grass and trees on fire at Little river and that it was necessary to land a crew from the Manjur and put out the fire.

Capt. Matheson of the barkentine Fremont, which also arrived, reports that on June 12, his papers were taken by the Russian gunboat Manjur and returned July 12, together with the papers taken from the barkentine S. N. Castle and schooner John D. Spreckels.

KAIWO MARU IS THE LATE AGNES McDONALD

One of Seized Japanese Sealers Was Formerly One of Fast Local Vessels

The sealing schooner Kaiwo Maru, one of the Japanese vessels seized by the United States revenue cutter Manning this season, is a former Victoria sealer, the fast Agnes McDonald, which was wrecked some ten years or more since when she drove ashore on the Japanese coast and Capt. Cutler, now master of the steam collier Wellington, with his crew returned by one of the Empress steamers. Capt. Victor Gullin, a former sealing captain, but now master of the three masted schooner Vega, sailing out of Seattle for Prince William Sound and Alaskan ports, who was in the city yesterday, stated that he boarded the Kaiwo Maru and Nitto Maru when those vessels were brought to Ounalaska by the Manning, and found that the Kaiwo was the old Agnes McDonald, which Capt. Cutler brought to Victoria to engage in sealing in 1892. She has been built up and considerable work done on her. The Nitto Maru is a new vessel being on her first trip.

Capt. Gullin reports that when bound from Prince William Sound to Seattle he spoke the Victoria sealing schooners Eva Marie, Capt. Victor Jacobsen, and Thomas F. Bayard, Capt. Hans Blakstad, to the eastward of the Pribyloff Islands on August 29. The weather was rough, blowing a gale, and both vessels were lying under double reefed canvas. The Vega tore past before the wind at a speed of about eleven knots and although she passed within thirty feet of the Eva Marie and Capt. Gullin shouted to Capt. Jacobsen he was unable to hear any answer, or learn what catches the schooners had.

Capt. Gullin says that shortly before the release of the sealers of the Kaiwo Maru and Natto Maru, arrested and imprisoned for raiding, $3,750 was sent north to pay the fines levied by the Alaskan court against them, it being stated at Dutch harbor that the money was sent by the Japanese government.

The Kaiwo Maru was caught redhanded by the revenue cutter while attemping a raid on the rookeries, said Capt. Gullin, but there was not so much evidence against the Nitto Maru, whose boats were out and on the way to the seal islands when the cutter appeared. It was a clear case against the Kaiwo Maru though, but the United States government ordered the release of the vessels. The sealers were also released after the fines were paid, the money being telegraphed to Valdez from Seattle.

NEW GOVERNMENT WHARF

Marine Department Offered Wharfage Space Recently Bought—Looking to Esquimalt

The marine department is on the outlook for new wharfage made necessary owing to the increase in the number of vessels in the service of the department. The small wharf in the inner harbor adjoining the present offices of the department is inadequate and the department has been for some time past reprsenting to the Ottawa officials the need of further accommodation. For a time the department looked to Esquimalt expecting to get the former naval yard, but the admiralty refused to allow the station to pass out of its hands, and now officials of the department are looking to other places for increased wharfage.

The four hundred feet frontage adjoining the present wharf and extending to near the Alaska Steamship company's wharf recently acquired by C. W. Brown is stated to have been offered to the marine department by the purchaser.

The marine department, however, is reported to be still looking to Esquimalt and has the site of the old Hudson Bay Company's wharves on Esquimalt harbor under consideration.

Advices from Port Essington state the steamer Caledonia is expected to be ready to enter service on the lower Skeena in a few days. The Hudson's Bay company expects to be able to repair the steamer Hazelton and bring her down to Port Essington as soon as the river rises.

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MOVEMENTS OF VESSELS

Steamers to Arrive.

From the Orient.

Vessel.	From.	Due.
Tango Maru		Oct. 5
Tartar		Oct. 6
Titan		Oct. 7
Tremont		Oct. 7
Empress of China		Oct. 14
Aki Maru		Oct. 16
Keemun		Oct. 30
From Australia.		
Miowera		Oct. 24
Aorangi		Nov. 21
Kazembe	Auckland	———
From Mexico.		
Georgia		Oct. 10

From England.
Steamer Newington, left Plymouth July 2.
From Acapulco.
Str. Strathallan.
From Moji.
Steamer Thordis.
From Callao.
Steamer Birkhall.
From San Francisco
Steamer Fitz Clarence.
From Vladivostock.
Steamer Strathfillan.
From Guayamas
Steamer Beckenham.
From Skagway.

Princess Royal		Oct. 6
Northern British Columbia Ports		
Camosun (Saunders)		Oct. 9
Queen City (Gunns)		Oct. 11
Venture		Oct. 8
From West Coast.		
Tees		Oct. 4
From San Francisco.		
Spokane		Oct. 1
City of Puebla		Oct. 6
Governor		Oct. 6

Sailing Vessels.

Line.	Date.
Loudon Hill, Liverpool (put into Capetown, leaking, Aug. 17.)	May 24
W. F. Babcock, Newcastle	———
Seestern, Callao,	———
Joseph B. Thomas, Newcastle	———
Ancensis, Callao,	———
Hillston, Cardiff	———
Thekla, Valparaiso	———

Steamers to Sail.

For the Orient.

Line.	Date.
Teucer	Oct. 2
For Australia.	
Moana	Oct. 11
For Mexico.	
Lonsdale ..... C. M.	Oct. 2
For Skagway.	
Princess May	Oct. 3
For Northern British Columbia Ports	
Vadso ..... B. S. S. Co.,	Oct. 2
Camosun	Oct. 10
Princess Beatrice	Oct. 15
Venture	Oct. 9
For West Const.	
Tees ..... C. P. R.	Oct. 7
For San Francisco.	
Governor	Oct. 3
Spokane	Oct. 7
City of Puebla	Oct. 12

Local Steamers

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Arrives Victoria 6 a.m. daily.
Leaves Victoria 7.30 a.m. daily except Tuesdays.
Arrives Vancouver 11 a.m. daily except Tuesdays.

Charmer.

Leaves Vancouver 11.30 p.m., daily except Sunday.
Arrives Victoria 6.30 a.m. daily except Monday.
Leaves Victoria 1 p.m. daily except Sunday.
Arrives Vancouver 7 p.m. daily except Sunday.
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Arrives Vancouver 7 a.m. Tuesdays.
Leaves Vancouver 1 p.m. Tuesdays.
Arrives Victoria 6 p.m. Tuesdays.

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Leave Union Bay Thursdays at midnight for Nanaimo direct.
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Leave Vancouver Fridays at 1 p.m., for Nanaimo.
Leave Nanaimo Fridays at 5.30 p.m., for Union Bay and Comox direct.
Leave Comox Saturdays at 7.30 a.m., for Nanaimo and way ports.
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La Tour de Auvergne, 120 days from Rochester for San Francisco, 8 per cent.

British ship Rajoro, 142 days from London for San Francisco, reinsurance 5 per cent.

Thornliebank, 123 days from Iquique for Sydney, 5 per cent.

Norwegian bark Medea, 123 days from Stettin for San Francisco, reinsurance 21 per cent.

British bark Simla, 160 days from Port Pirie for Falmouth, reinsurance 6 per cent.

British bark Inverlyon, out 142 days from Wallaroo, for Falmouth, 6 per cent.

British ship Thomasina, out 149 days from Port Pirie, for Falmouth, 6 per cent.

British ship Haddon Hall, out 149 days from Geelong, for Falmouth, 6 per cent.

Craigisla, 114 days from Newcastle Australia, for Mollendo, 10 per cent.

Kenilworth, at Rio Janeiro for San Francisco, 10 per cent

Silberhorn, 119 days from Newcastle Australia, for Pesagua, 10 per cent.

American ship Louise, out 111 days from Bremen for San Francisco, 11 per cent.

British ship Dumfrieshire, out 172 days from Shields, for Port Los Angeles, 8 per cent.

British bark Gulf Stream, 184 days from Flushing for Port Townsend, 6 per cent. Spoken.

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Sun. Wed. & Sat.	Daily	STATIONS	Sun. Wed. & Sat.	Daily
15.00	9.00	VICTORIA	s 12.06	s 18.55
s 15.04	s 9.04	RUSSELL'S	s 12.02	s 18.51
f 15.08	f 9.08	Hospital Crossing	f 11.58	f 18.47
f 15.12	f 9.12	ESQUIMALT	f 11.54	f 18.41
f 15.14	f 9.14	Stewart's	f 11.52	f 18.38
f 15.16	f 9.16	Parson's Bridge	f 11.50	f 18.35
s 15.21	s 9.21	COLWOOD	s 11.45	s 18.30
f 15.28	f 9.28	Goldstream W	f 11.38	f 18.22
f 15.50	f 9.50	17 Mile Post	f 11.16	f 18.00
f 15.58	f 10.00	SUMMIT W	f 11.06	f 17.53
f 16.10	f 10.12	Welch's	f 10.57	f 17.41
s 16.15	s 10.17	Shawnigan Lake. Strathcona Hotel	s 10.51	s 17.35
s 16.18	s 10.22	KOENIG'S HOTEL W	s 10.48	s 17.30
s 16.30	s 10.40	COBBLE HILL	s 10.40	s 17.22
f 16.37	f 10.45	Hillbank	f 10.20	f 17.13
s 16.41	s 10.48	COWICHAN	s 10.15	s 17.08
f 16.47	f 10.53	KOKSILAH	f 10.06	f 17.03
s 16.58	s 11.00	DUNCANS	s 10.02	s 16.53
s 17.10	s 11.07	SOMENOS	s 9.47	s 16.43
f 17.15	f 11.11	TYEE	f 9.43	f 16.38
f 17.20	f 11.16	MT. SICKER	f 9.39	f 16.34
s 17.22	s 11.18	Westholme	s 9.37	s 16.32
s 17.35	s 11.32	CHEMAINUS	s 9.25	s 16.22
f 17.47	f 11.43	Blainey's	f 9.09	f 16.08
s 17.55	s 11.57	LADYSMITH	9.00	15.58
f 18.04	f 12.04	Brenton's	s 8.50	15.48
f 18.09	f 12.08	Coburn	f 8.42	f 15.40
f 18.12	f 12.11	Cassidy's	f 8.37	f 15.36
f 18.16	f 12.15	FIDDICKS	f 8.34	f 15.32
f 18.19	s 12.18	South Wellington	f 8.31	f 15.29
f 18.24	f 12.23	Stark's Crossing	s 8.28	s 15.27
f 18.28	f 12.28	South Nanaimo	f 8.23	s 15.22
s 18.30	s 12.35	NANAIMO	f 8.17	f 15.17
f 18.37	f 12.46	Northfield	s 8.15	s 15.15
s 18.45	s 12.53	WELLINGTON	f 8.07	f 15.09
			8.00	15.00

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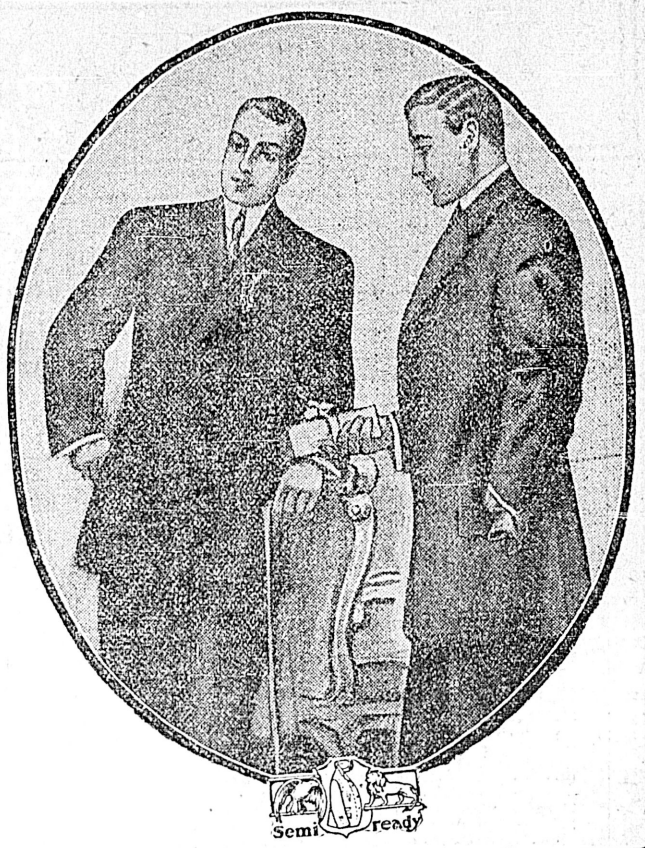

COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL

WHEAT STRONGER IN CHICAGO PIT

Wet Weather in Northwestern States and Canada Sends Price Up

Chicago, Oct. 1.—Wet weather in the northwest had a strengthening effect today on the local wheat market, the December delivery closing at a net gain of ½ to ⅝ cents. Corn was up ⅛ to ¼. Oats were ⅛c lower. Provisions were 2½ to 5c lower.

The wheat market was inclined to be weak during the first few minutes of the trading because of the selling by pit traders, who were bearishly influenced by a decline at Liverpool. The sentiment, however, soon became bullish, owing to the weather in the northwest, where threshing operations are still in progress. A forecast of additional rain tonight and tomorrow for Minnesota and the Dakotas further strengthened the market. An advance of 1 cent per bushel in the pits at Minneapolis, Duluth and Winnipeg and a lower estimate of the Canadian crop made by a well known crop expert, tended to advance prices on the local exchange. The market closed strong. December opened unchanged to ⅛c higher at 98⅛ to 98¼, sold off to 97¾c, and then advanced to 98⅞c. The close was at 98⅝ to ¾c. Clearances of wheat and flour were equal to 277,000 bushels. The world's visible supply, as shown by Bradstreet's increased 2,250,000 bushels. Primary receipts were 1,227,000 bushels, compared with 1,296,000 bushels on the corresponding day a year ago. Minneapolis, Duluth and Chicago reported receipts of 1,015 cars, against 995 cars last week and 1,181 cars a year ago.

The strength of wheat and predictions of wet weather caused moderate firmness in the corn market; trade was of small volume. Local shorts were inclined to buy, while the offerings came largely from commission houses. The market closed firm. December opened a shade to ¼ at ¾c lower at 57¾ to 58c, advanced to 58¾ tto ½ and closed at 58¼. Local receipts were 599 cars, with 171 of contract grain.

Trading in oats was almost at a standstill, and prices fluctuated over a small range. Local receipts were more than what had been estimated, and this had a depressing influence. December oats opened ¼c lower at 51¾, sold between 51⅝ and ⅜ and 51, and closed at 51⅞c. Local receipts were 259 cars.

Provisions were a trifle easier, owing to the liquidation of October holdings. A decline in live hogs was the chief weakening factor. At the close January pork was 2⅛ to 5c lower at $15.50 to $15.22½. Lard was off 5c at $8.77½. Ribs were down 2½ to 5c at $7.90 at $5.22 1-2.

Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, 87 cars; corn, 465 cars; oats, 297 cars; hogs, 25,000 head.

CHICAGO BOARD OF TRADE

(By F. W. Stevenson)
Chicago, Oct., 1, 1907.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close
Wheat No 2—				
Dec.	98	98⅞	97⅞	98¾
May	104	104⅞	103⅞	104¾
Corn No. 2—				
Dec.	58	58½	57¾	58¼
May	58⅛	59½	58⅞	59¼
Oats No. 2—				
Dec.	51¾	52	51¾	51⅞
May	53⅜	53⅝	53⅜	53½
Pork—				
Oct.	13.75	13.75	13.57	13.60
Liverpool Wheat—				
Dec.	7s. 11¼d.			8s.

Available Grain Supply.

New York, Oct. 1.—Special cable and telegraphic communications received by Bradstreets show the following changes in available supplies as compared with previous account: Wheat, United States, east of the Rockies, decreased 202,000 bushels; Canada, increased 555,000 bushels; total United States and Canada increased 453,000 bushels; afloat for and in Europe, increased 1,900,000 bushels; total American and European supply increased 2,253,000 bushels. Oats, United States and Canada, increased 1,227,000 bushels.

The leading increase and decrease reported this week are set forth as follows: Increases—Manitoba, 676,000 bushels; Omaha, 87,000 bushels; Fort Worth, 73,000 bushels; Cleveland, 73,000 bushels; Minneapolis private elevators, 50,000 bushels. Decreases—Nashville, 81,000 bushels; Louisville, 69,000 bushels.

NEW YORK STOCKS

(By F. W. Stevenson)
New York, Oct., 1, 1907.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close
Amal. Copper	59	60⅛	58⅛	59⅞
Amn. C. & F.	36¼	36¾	36	36¾
Amn. Cot. Oil	30½	30¾	30¼	30½
Amn. Loco.	51	51	50½	51
Amn. Smelt.	86⅞	88	85⅝	87⅜
do. pfd.	96¼	96½	95¾	96¼
Amn. Sugar	111	113	110	112
Anaconda	38¾	39¼	38	39
Atchison	86⅜	86¾	85¾	86½
do. pfd.	89	89	88½	89
B. & O.	89¾	89¾	88¾	89½
do. pfd.	83	83	83	83
B. R. T.	44	47⅜	44	47⅜
C. P. R.	166	170	164½	165¼
C. & O.	33	33⅛	32⅛	33
C. G. W.	8¾	9¼	8¾	9
C. M. & St. P.	117	119⅝	114½	119⅝
C. T. & T.	4	4	4	4
C. F. & I.	19¼	20	19	19¾
D. & R. G.	24	24¼	24	24¼
do. pfd.	...	...	...	65
Erie	20⅛	20⅜	20	20¼
do. 1st. pfd.	...	...	...	45
Ill. Cent.	135¼	135¼	135¼	135¼
Int. Paper	13	13	13	13
L. & N.	105½	106	105¼	106
Mo. Pac.	67	68	67	68
N. Y. Cen.	102¾	103¾	102⅝	103¾
N. P.	128¾	129¼	128	129¼
O. & W.	32¾	32¾	32½	32¾
Pac. Mail	23	23¼	22¾	23
Penna.	119¾	120½	118⅞	120⅜
People's Gas	86	86½	85½	86
Prsd Steel C.	25½	25¾	25½	25½
Reading	93¼	93⅞	91¾	93¾
Rock Isld.	19	19	18¼	18¾
do. pfd.	43½	43¾	43½	43¾
So. Pac. X-Div.	84	84⅛	82⅞	83¾
do. pfd.	109¾	109¾	109¾	109¾
S. R.	15	15¼	15	15¼
T. C. I.	...	...	...	15¼
U. P.	127¾	128½	126⅛	128⅜
do. pfd.	82	82	82	82
U. S. Steel	27¼	27¾	26½	27¾
do. pfd	88⅞	89½	87¾	88⅞
Wabash	11	11¼	10¾	11¼
do. pfd.	19¼	19½	19	19½
Wis. Cen.	15	15	14¾	15
do. pfd.	39	39	38¾	39
West. Union	...	...	...	72

X-Div., S. P., 1½ per cent. Total sales, 505,100 shares. Money on Call, 2½ @ 6 per cent.

MONTREAL STOCKS

(By Waghorn, Gwynn & Co., 519 Granville Street, Vancouver, B. C.)

	Sellers.	Buyers
Banks—		
Molsons	198½	...
Nova Scotia	280	...
Merchants	160	158
Union	135	...
Commerce	...	160½
Miscellaneous—		
Twin City	94	93¾
Mont. Heat & Power	92⅛	92
Ogilvies	120	115
Ogilvies' Bonds	115	...
Montreal St. Ry.	190	189½
Toronto St. Ry.	100	99
Dom. Iron & Steel	23¾	20¼
Nova Scotia Steel	66	64¾
C. P. R., Montreal	169	167½
C. P. R. London	169	...

VANCOUVER STOCK EXCHANGE

Vancouver, Oct., 1, 1907.
Temporary Trading Stock.

Alberta Coal & Coke Co.	37	40
B. C. Copper Co.	6.00	7.50
Burton Saw Works	120	130
Can. Con. S. & R.	...	110
Caribou Camp McKinney.	3	4¾
Dom. Cop. Co.	3.25	4.50
Granby	90	105
Int. Coal & Coke Co.	94	95
Imperial Trust Co.	100	105
Rambler Cariboo	24	27
Sullivan	...	11
Western Cor.	...	140
Western Oil Co.	1.00	1.50
Coeur D'Alene Stocks		
Alameda	...	10
Charles Dickens	17	22
Gertie	7	10
Idora	7	10
Monitor	14	22
Nabob	10	11
O. K. Con.	2	3
Oom Paul	15	22
Snow Storm	1.90	2.10
Stewart	1.00	1.30

Sales—Alberta Coal & Coke, 1000 @ 38. International Coal & Coke, 500 @ 94.

Mrs. Kilduff—"Oh, yes, I have a running account at Cotton & Topes." It's much better than paying for each little purchase, you know." Mrs. Skidmore—"A running account? Why, the collector of the firm told my husband that your account has been standing for a very long time.—Boston Globe.

CANADA TO TAKE PLACE OF STATES

Britain's Supply of Breadstuffs Will Soon Be Furnished by Dominion

London, Oct. 1.—Bread has gone up to 12c the quartern, or four pound loaf. This is the equivalent in Canada to seventeen loaves to the dollar. Such a high price as this has never been known since the days of the Leiter wheat corner ten years ago. In the poor quarters of London the exceptionally dear loaf is certain to entail a vast amount of distress.

Colonel Mark Mahew, head of the well known Battersea milling firm, Messrs. Mark Mayhew Limited, said while he agreed in placing the deficiency in this year's wheat crop at 1,500,000 to 2,000,000 quarters, he was confident that there would be a considerable increase in prices in the immediate future.

"The position at present, it must be remembered is comparatively easy with last year's enormous reserves to draw upon. But as regards the future, the fact that there is an estimated deficiency at all indicates that there is a tight time to come. There is reason to believe that a portion of the Canadian crop is frosted, while there are reports that the United States crop is threshed out badly. There is also a question whether the Russian crops have failed.

"If any one of these three reports is true, I think it means that flour will cost another $1.20 per sack before the year is out. If all three are accurate, the price will rise $2.40 per sack before the new year. These are the facts of the matter in a nutshell, and we can only wait until we get official information.

"It is rather a peculiar fact, however, that I have had many offers from people who are anxious to buy back some of the wheat that I have purchased from them. No one gives away shillings for nothing, and these attempts certainly give color to the reports about the shortage.

"Needless to say, I refused the offers, as I wanted the wheat to go on with at my mills.

"There is no doubt," Colonel Mayhew continued, "that the United States will consume more and more of its own wheat until we shall have to look to some other country for the supplies we now draw from there.

"It is the utmost folly, therefore, on the part of the present government not to encourage the development of the Canadian wheatfields by granting a There are immense wheat growing areas There are immense wheat growingareas in Canada yet untouched, and by assisting in their development the government should be doing something tangible to reduce the cost of the people's bread."

"It's going to be a very bad winter for the poor," Mr. Charles Brown, the head of the oldest millers in London declared. "At the present time, he said, "There is only about four months' supply in the whole country, notwithstanding that we have the whole of the English crop."

The statements of American government officials that the wheat exports from the United States would cease before long is borne out by the statistics of imports of American wheat into Great Britain. Since 1902 the imports from the United States have fluctuated as follows:

	Cwts.
1902	43,310,000
1903	24,197,000
1904	7,051,000
1905	6,634,000

Last year was altogether an abnormal one, and the crops unprecedently heavy. Even under these circumstances, however, the exports only amounted to 22,490,000 cwts., which is considerably below the exports for 1902 and 1903.

"Canada," a Canadian government official declared yesterday, "will take America's place as a grain exporter in the near future.

"Everything possible is being done to develop the wheatfields of the west," he said. "Plans are now almost complete for the beginning the Ottawa Georgian bay canal, which will bring the western wheatfields in direct connection with the Atlantic by a waterway accessible to ocean going steamers. This, of course, will considerably reduce the cost of transporting wheat, and so cheapen it to the consumer in the United Kingdom.

"The route of the canal runs from Fort William along the French and Ottawa rivers, to Montreal—a distance of 430 miles, shortening the present lake route to the St. Lawrence by 375 miles.

"As it also shortens the route from Chicago to Liverpool by 700 miles, it will also greatly cheapen the transport of American wheat and divert it to Canadian channels."

NO CORNER IN COPPER

Standard Oil Interests Cannot Control Price of the Metal

Spokane, Wash., Sept. 30.—Declaring that the Amalgamated interests could not hope to control the price of copper, of which they produce only 25 per cent, Jay P. Graves of Spokane, manager of the Granby mines and smelters, north of this city, said:

"When a commodity like copper goes unusually high, we always look for a reaction, and when that reaction comes it frequently happens that people get frightened and the price goes lower than conditions would seem to warrant. I do not care to express an opinion as to the future course of the market. That is the province of the manufacturers."

Shown a report that H. H. Rogers and his Standard Oil associates had attempted to maintain the price of copper at an artificial level by cornering the metal and had failed, Mr. Graves said:

"Here are some figures which prove conclusively that Mr. Rogers would not attempt to corner copper. Cole-Ryan properties, 150,000,000 pounds; Phelps, Dodge & Co., 175,000,000 pounds; Calumet & Hecla, 100,000,000 pounds, and the Amalgamated properties, 250,000,000 pounds; Granby company, 200,000,000 pounds.

"The consumption of copper last year was 1 per cent greater than the production, and that production this year probably would have been 10 per cent less than the amount consumed if the flurry in financial and business circles had not occurred. Since this flurry may restrict consumption, I believe the books may balance this year and show that the production will about equal the demand."

FLOUR PRICES WORKING HIGHER

All Grades Further Advance and May Go Still Higher—Hay Scarce

The recent advance in the wholesale price of flour has gone into effect in the retail trade, all grades having been marked up ten cents a sack with the possibility that a further advance may yet be made. On eastern markets the price of wheat holds extremely strong and advices from the eastern milling centres indicate a probable further jump in the near future.

A great scarcity of hay is also reported. It was expected some time ago that when the farmers got through harvesting that larger supplies would reach the market, but such has not been the case. On the contrary the supplies have apparently become less, and last week dealers were doling out a bale or two at a time to customers in order to make stocks go as far as possible.

In other lines of produce the situation here shows little or no change. There is still the great scarcity of fresh butter and eggs and it is impossible to obtain supplies except in very limited quantities. In fruits the market is well supplied. The fruit which has been on exhibition at the fair has been disposed to the local retail trade and finds ready buyers, so excellent is it in quality. Being selected fruit it has brought a good price. In other lines of fruit and also in vegetables prices hold at last week's level with supplies liberal and of high quality. Bartlett pears are off the market and late varieties are arriving in excellent condition, growers having shown much care in packing their product. The new arrivals of pears are selling at from $1.25 to $1.50 per box. Nice crabapples are on the market, while fine squash, pumpkins and red cabbage and quince are meeting with ready sale. Local retail prices are as follows:

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Flour	
an) a bag	$1.95
Lake of the Woods, a bag	$1.95
Calgary, a bag	$1.95
Hungarian, per. bbl.	$7.50
Snowflake, a bag	$1.70
Snowflake, per bbl.	$6.80
Moffet's Beest, per sack	$1.95
Moffet's Best, per. bbl.	$7.50
Drifted Snow, per sack,	$1.70
Three Star, per sack	$1.95
Foodstuffs	
Cracked Corn, per ton	$35.00
Bran, per ton	$25.00
Shorts, per ton	$27.00
Feed Wheat, per ton	$39.00
Oats, per ton,	$35.00
Barley, per ton	$31.00
Hay, Fraser River, per ton	$25.00
Cornmeal, per ton	$35.00
Chop feed, best, per ton	$27.00
Whole corn, best, per ton	$33.00
Middlings, per ton	$30.00
Vegetables	
Celery, per head	15
Egg Plant, per lb.	15
Citron, per lb.	5
Lettuce, two heads	5
Cabbage, local, per lb.	5
Cauliflowers, each	25
Garlic, per lb	10
Onions, local, per lb.	2½
Cucumbers, hot house, each	5
Tomatoes, hot house, per lb.	10
Tomatoes, outdoor, per lb.	5
Potatoes, local, per sack	$1.75
Peas, local, per lb.	8
Sweet Potatoes, new, 4 lbs.	25
String beans, per lb.	8
Vegetable marrow, each	10 to 25
Corn, per doz.	35
Green peppers, each	3
Chili peppers, per lb.	30
Squash, per lb.	4
Pumpkins, per lb.	4
Quince, per lb.	10
Red Cabbage, per lb.	5
Dairy Produce	
Eggs—	
Fresh Island, per doz.	45
Cooking, per doz	35
Cheese—	
Canadian, per lb.	25
Neufchatel, each	5
Cream, local, each	10
Butter—	
Manitoba, per lb.	35
Best Dairy, per lb.	35 to 40
Victoria Creamery, per lb.	45
Cowichan Creamery, per lb.	45
Delta Creamery, per lb.	45
Chilliwack Creamery, per lb.	45
Butter, cooking, per lb.	30
Fruit	
Oranges, per doz.	30 to 50
Lemons, per doz.	40
Figs, cooking, per lb.	8 to 10
Rhubarb, per lb.	5
Apples, local, 4 lbs. for	25
Bananas, per doz.	35
Figs, table, per lb.	25
Grape Fruit, per doz.	60
Raisins, Valencia, per lb.	20
Raisins, table, per lb.	25 to 60
Cantaloupes, each	10 to 20
Peaches, 2 lbs.	25
Peaches, local, per lb.	20
Grapes, California, per basket	60
Watermelons, each	50 to 75
Pineapples, each	50
Island plums, per lb.	5
Pears, per box.	$1.25 to $1.50
Blackberries, per lb.	15
Plums, per basket	15 to 20
Huckleberries, Sooke, per lb.	15
Crabapples, per lb.	5
Nuts	
Walnuts, per lb.,	30
Brazils, per lb.	30
Almonds, Jordon, per lb.	75
Almonds, California, per lb.	30
Cocoanuts, each	15
Pecans, per lb	30
Fish	
Finan Haddies, per lb.	29
Cod, salted, per lb.	10 to 13
Halibut, fresh, per lb.	8 to 10
Halibut, smoked, per lb	15
Cod, fresh, per lb	8 to 10
Flounders, fresh, per lb.	6 to 8
Salmon, fresh, white, per lb.	8
Salmon, fresh red, per lb.	10
Salmon, Humpback	20 to 25
Salmon, smoked, per lb.	20
Clams, per lb	5
Oysters, Olympia, per pint	40 to 50
Oysters, Toke Point, doz.	40 to 50
Shrimps, per lb	30 to 40
Smelts, per lb.	5 to 10
Herring, kippered, per lb.	12½
Meat and Poultry	
Lamb, per lb	15 to 25
Mutton, per lb	12½ to 20
Lamb, per quarter, fore	1.00 to 1.50
Lamb, per quarter, hind	1.75 to 2.00
Veal, dressed, per lb	12½ to 18
Geese, dressed, per lb.	18 to 20
Ducks dressed, per lb.	20 to 25
Chickens, per lb	20 to 25
Chickens, per lb., live weight	12½ to 15
Chickens, broilers, per lb.	25
Guinea Fowls, each	$1.00
Pigeons, dressed, per pair	50
Rabbits, dressed, each	60 to $1.00
Hare, dressed, each	75
Hams, per lb	22 to 30
Bacon, per lb	22 to 30
Beef, per lb	8 to 18
Pork, dressed, per lb	15 to 18

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ANDREWS—On Friday, September 20th, 1907, to Mr. and Mrs. J. Ernest Andrews, 10 Carr street, Victoria, a son. O2

WILMER—On September 30th, 1907, the wife of F. L. Wilmer of a son. O2

DIED

SWEET—On Sunday morning Sept., 29, the dearly beloved and ever to be remembered wife of the Rev. J. H. S. Sweet, rector of St. James, Victoria B. C., in the 54th year of her age. Funeral on Thursday at 2.30 p.m. (Quebec and New Brunswick papers please copy.)

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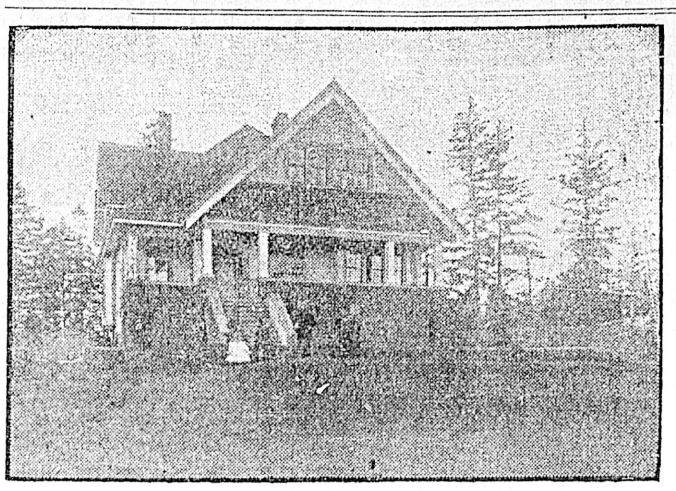

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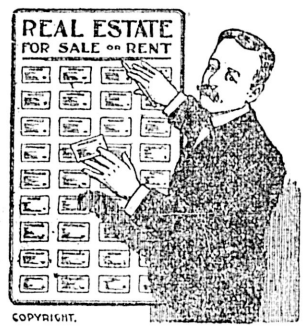

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TO RENT—Belmont Avenue, off St. Charles Street, 8-roomed house, modern improvements. Particulars on application, to The Stuart Robertson Co., 36 Broad Street. s22

TO LET—5 roomed furnished cottage, near Strathcona hotel. Shawnigan, with boat 20. F. M. Reade, Oak Bay, Victoria. a22

FOR SALE PROPERTY

PORT ANGELES PROPERTY FOR SALE—On easy terms. Lot 17 block 12; First street. This is a business lot. Lot 14, 16, and 17, block 49 Third street. Lot 2, block 49 Second street. Apply F. Landsberg, 43 Johnson street. o1

160 ACRES near Duncans, 15 cleared, $0 bottom, orchard, new $2,000 house, splendid outbuildings, 5 cows, poultry, team, implements, 25 tons hay. $6,500. Address Z, P.O. Duncans.

WANTED—FEMALE HELP

WANTED—A waitress. Apply Dominion hotel. o1

WANTED—Companion for invalid lady. State age and experience. Box 344 Colonist. o1

WANTED—Immediately, maid for family of three, housework and partial care of child of three. Woman cook kept. 329 Colonist. o1

WANTED—A good girl for general house work. Write to Mrs. Arthur Brenchley, 1716 Haro Street, Vancouver, B. C. S29

HOUSEKEEPER WANTED — Address John Dilworth, Keating. s29

WANTED—Woman as cook, family of two, housemaid kept. Good salary to suitable person. Apply P. O. Box 43, Victoria. s26

WANTED—A woman to cook for two ladies and do light housework. References required. Apply 1318 Fort street. s24

WANTED—Two girl clerks, with experience. Apply immediately at Bancroft's Palace of Sweets. Sep24

WANTED AT ONCE—First class skirt and waist makers, also improvers and apprentices. Apply Miss McMillan, 3rd floor. D. Spencer Ltd.

WANTED—A ward maid, at once, salary $20 per month. Apply Matron, Jubilee Hospital.

WANTED—MALE HELP

WANTED—Youth for an office where there is an excellent opportunity to complete commercial education. Apply in handwriting, Remington, P.O., Box 86. e29

WANTED—Good cook who can also act as general servant for a single gentleman, small house with all modern improvements. Wages liberal to capable man. References required. Apply box 294 Colonist. s28

WANTED—An experienced press feeder at the Colonist Job department. s26

WANTED — Experienced traveler for wholesale produce house. Apply stating experience and giving references to Box 234 Colonist. s24

WANTED—Two good sized boys to sell the Colonist. Salary and commission. Enquire at Colonist office Monday morning at 9 o'clock.

MEN WANTED.—Reliable men in every locality throughout Canada to advertise our goods, tack up showcards on trees, fences, bridges, and all conspicuous places, also distribute small advertising matter. Commission or salary $83 per month and expenses $4 per day. Steady employment to good reliable men. No experience necessary. Write for particulars. Empire Medicine Co., London. Ont.

WANTED—Messenger boys; good industrious boys at good wages. Apply C. P. R. Telegraph. 30

WANTED—Good steady boy to carry morning newspaper route in Esquimalt district. Must be at the Colonist office by 4.30 a.m., every morning; no triflers need apply; opening for strong, honest boy; school boy preferred. jy17

The undersigned company have an opening for a number of apprentices to learn the iron shipbuilding trade, also for apprentices to learn the Wooden shipbuilding trade. Apply at the office of the B. C. Marine Railway Co., Esquimalt, B. C. a24

TWO BOYS Wanted in the Colonist Varnish department. a21

TELEGRAPH OPERATORS Desiring employment with Western Union Telegraph Co., should confer with P. M. Fulton, Mgr., Great Northwestern Telegraph Co., 92 Government St. a14

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE

WANTED—Position as children's companion; could teach first lessons; good needlewoman. Box 340 Colonist office. O1

POSITION by saleslady from California, experienced in any department. 330 Colonist. o1

WANTED—A competent child's nurse seeks position. Terms $30. Address Box 311 Colonist. s28

YOUNG ENGLISH LADY desires situation in family. Good references. Home or country. 283 Colonist. s27

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE

YOUNG MARRIED MAN wants situation in warehouse or shipping department of store. 338 Colonist. o1

ENGLISHMAN, Middleaged, but capable of doing plenty of steady work, desires position on a poultry, fruit and vegetable farm. Some experience. Good references. Address Box 324 Colonist. o1

YOUNG MAN—Seeks situation as manager of branch store. Business experience. 327 Colonist.

WANTED—Young man wants work, anything at all. Box 296 Colonist. s28

WANTED—Position in office or bank by boy of seventeen. Box 44 Colonist. s8

WANTED, SITUATION AS COACHman, able to ride and drive pair or tandem. Total abstainer. Age 34. For further particulars apply, A. Cresthwaite, 831 Gore Avenue, Vancouver. sep7

TO LET—FURNISHED ROOMS

TO LET—Front set of housekeeping rooms. 45 View street. o1

TO LET—Furnished housekeeping rooms 305 Colonist. s28

TO RENT—Newly furnished front bedroom with breakfast, five minutes walk from post office on car line. Gentleman desired. Box 267 Colonist. S26

TO LET—Front bedroom, suitable for two gentlemen. 925 Johnson street.

TO RENT—Four nicely furnished bedrooms by week or month. Apply 40 Kane St. s22

TO LET—Furnished rooms, with breakfast. Carberry Gardens. Telephone B1514. s21

TO LET—Comfortable furnished front rooms with use of kitchen if required. 328 Michigan street, James Bay. s12

TO LET—Furnished rooms, 848 Fort St. s12

TO LET—Furnished rooms, every convenience. Apply 182 Fort St. a28

TO RENT—A large front bedroom. Apply at 45 View street. a28

TO LET—Furnished rooms, centrally located, 187 Fort, new, 949 Fort St. je22

TO LET—One suite of 3 housekeeping rooms, with pantry, also one suite of 2 rooms, with pantry; all furnished. 120 Vancouver St. e10

TO LET — Furnished rooms and board Piano and phone, Bellevue, Quebec St., third house from Parliament buildings. m 7.

FOR SALE—SECOND-HAND

FOR SALE—An Oliver typewriter, almost new and in perfect order. Apply at the Family Grocery, corner Yates and Douglas. jy23

EMPLOYMENT BUREAUS

WANTED—Parties wishing domestic help or farm hands, also skilled or unskilled labor, apply Alex. Stevenson, emigration agent, Kilmarnock, Scotland. au1

54 Fort Street.

EMPLOYMENT OFFICE — 54 Fort St. Good places; good wages to competent servants.

Y. W. C. A. EMPLOYMENT AGENCY
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WANTED—POSITIONS AS NURSERY governess, mothers' help and companion help, by three English ladies, domesticated, cooking and house work (Vancouver).
LADY HELP SEEKS POSITION IN the country, domesticated, assist generally.
MAN AND WIFE (SWISS) SEEK POSIsition in Victoria, wife as housemaid or waitress, man indoor work.
WANTED—Working housekeeper (middle-aged) for English family of two. References; good wages.
WANTED—General maid for invalid. Simple cooking. Also experienced nurse, infant 8 months.

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93 Yates Street

AN EXPERIENCED LADY STENOGRAPHER wishes position in either wholesale or retail store.
PLAIN SEWING done reasonable price.

WANTED—Three good waist finishers and one good pants maker. Best wages paid.

WANTED—Experienced nurse for child. Knowledge of German necessary.

A FIRST CLASS CARPENTER will take small jobs or contracts. S24

MISCELLANEOUS

"LASH'S" (Sanitary) 843 View Street. Phone A1207. Secondhand clothing bought and sold. O1

PIANO FOR SALE—Mason & Rich piano, in good condition, excellent tone. Apply Box 343, this office. O1

FOR SALE CHEAP—Two complete launches, ready to run. Apply R. F. Stephens, builder and contractor, Sunny Side avenue, Craigflower road. s29

FOR SALE—Rubber tyred buggy and harness. 54 North Park street. s26

FOR SALE—30-foot cabin cruising launch, new, fitted with a 10 h.p. 4 cylinder engine, electric light, etc. Box 127 city. s27

FOR SALE—Cheap, one 8-foot Silent Salesman show case. Apply Ogilvie Hardware. s25

WOOD FOR SALE—Good fir slabs which have never been in the water, cut into four foot lengths. These slabs are much superior to those taken from boom or pond. Price $2.75 per full cord, F.O.B. car Victoria. Westholme Lumber Co., Westholme, B.C. s20

PITMAN'S SHORTHAND — Modern Short Course System, Bookkeeping and Typewriting. Private lessons in all scholastic subjects. Apply for terms to Certificated Teacher, 1045 Yates street.

FOR SALE—Large gasoline launch, suitable for hunting, fishing, or towing. 25 feet long, 10 h.p. engine, a bargain. Apply, Caretaker, J. B. A. A. Clubhouse, Belleville street. (a31

GLADSTONE—For Sale. Address Victoria Transfer Co., city. m1

FOR SALE—Auxiliary Yacht "Ariadne" lately overhauled, with full equipment. Apply Crease & Crease, 17 Fort Street, Victoria, B. C. Aug17

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WANTED—TO PURCHASE

WANTED—English dog cart. Rubber tyred, also single harness. Apply Box 347 Colonist. o1

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DO YOU WISH TO MARRY? We have many marriageable people in every part of Canada. Ford and Simmons, suite 5, 984 1-2 Main Street, Winnipeg. S24

FOR SALE—RESIDENCES

I have several houses for sale at all prices. Must be sold quickly. Apply owner, 1034 Burdette Ave. o1

FOR SALE—5-room cottage, Kingston St., with every convenience. Apply 465 Kingston St., James Bay. S26

FOR SALE—Residence, exceptionally well built, modern six-roomed bungalow, one and a half choice lots, corner, James Bay, fine lawn, shrubs, and fruit garden, partly furnished, including piano ($500), range ($65), linoleum, carpets, etc., etc., $4,800, easy terms. 152 Colonist. s26

TEACHERS WANTED

TEACHER WANTED for Hornby Island public school, salary 50 dollars per month. Apply stating certificate held. Thomas A. L. Smith, secretary, Hornby Island, B. C. o1

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YOUNG MAN—Wants board without room in the vicinity of the fount. Box 337 Colonist. o1

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TWO LADIES wish to rent modern furnished house from November. State terms. Box 349 Colonist. o1

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FOR SALE—Good strong horse and buggy, new, cheap. Apply Box 226 Colonist tf

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FOR SALE—High-class driving mare. Apply at the Willows hotel. o1

FOR SALE—8, 2 year old graded jersey heifers and two registered jersey bulls. One 2 year old and one 6 months. Also quantity of old manure. Apply Jas. Richards, cor. Cook and Queen's Ave. s27.

FOR SALE—Young sow, will farrow in a week; had first litter of twelve. Also young boar. Apply B. Richards, Cadboro Bay. s29

FOR SALE—Shetland pony, cart and harness. Apply 1016 Fort street. s28

WANTED—An Irish terrier, 3 to 5 months old, to be used as watch dog. Address T. C. Meads, 577 Johnson St. s5

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2 ACRE BLOCKS—Delightfully located on Portage Inlet. Ideal spot for suburban home. For sale cheap.

CHOICE FARM, 2½ miles from Duncans 160 acres, well watered, good improvements, house, barn, etc. Farm implements and stock can be bought for $9,000.00.

TWO NEW HOUSES—On Chambers St., well planned, finished first class style. Modern improvements. $3000 and $3400.

ONE LARGE LOT—Linden avenue, can be bought for $2100.00

BUSINESS PROPERTY—Centrally located, $17,000. Rented on lease to draw 10 per cent investment. Lot alone worth the money.

TWO CORNER LOTS—Fort street, opposite Royal Jubilee Hospital. High level, no rock. $1,100 for pair.

7 ROOMED HOUSE, just being completed, delightful view of Olympic Range and bay. Buy now, and have contractor make any change you wish. Price $3500.

3 LOTS, price $600 to person building house $300. Easy terms.

7 ROOMED HOUSE on Victoria Arm, waterfront. The prettiest location in Victoria. Price $3750.

VICTORIA ARM, waterfrontage block from car. Land cleared, city water. Inquire particulars and see.

If you have any house to rent, list them with us at once.

Chicken ranches for sale, 3½ miles from city, $100 per acre.

FOR SALE

80 ACRES—Sooke District, just inside Sooke harbor.
FINE SEA FRONTAGE—At Esquimalt, about three acres. Cheap.
TWO LOTS—On Victoria harbor with large wharf and sheds and 2 large warehouses in good condition. On easy terms.
THREE LOTS—On Yates street with 10 stores, bringing in good rentals.
TO RENT—Large wharf at foot of Yates street. Rent $130 per month.
For further particulars apply to

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GOOD LITTLE FARM at reasonable price, 4½ miles from Victoria, 42 acres, larger portion under crop. Excellent buildings. Plenty of water. Price for short time, only $9,000, cash.

52 ACRES, Metchosin, all good land, no rock, nearly all under cultivation, fine spring, could irrigate about 30 acres. Large hay shed. Price $7,800.

65 ACRES—An island suitable for sheep or fruit, small house, barn, etc., some cleared, plenty of good land. Price $1,320.

65 ACRES—Complete little farm, bungalow, 45x52. Barns, etc., 200 fruit trees, bearing, also small fruits. Place been well farmed. Furniture, stock, etc., can be arranged for. Price $3,800 easy terms.

GOOD HOME—Six roomed house, barn etc, nearly 1 acre in fruit, best locality, adjacent lots selling at $900 per lot.

Some 10 acre lots near city, suitable for fruit.

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TENNYSON ROAD—5-roomed cottage and two lots, in fruit, etc., for $1800.
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JAMES BAY—Lot 60 feet by 120 feet, and stable of 5 stalls; only $1050.
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TWO FINE LOTS in Trutch estate, corner, open to offers for a few days.

NINE ROOM HOUSE on lot 60x160 with stable. $4,750.

ISLAND ROAD SUB-DIVISION, Oak Bay. Lots 1-3rd acre. Splendid building sites. We are sole agents.

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FRUIT LANDS IN THE KOOTENAY DISTRICT.

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TWO ACRES—Water frontage on Portage Inlet. Small house and fruit trees. $1,100. Terms.
FIVE ROOM COTTAGE—Situated at James Bay. Water and sewer connection. A. Bargain, $1550, $550 cash, balance easy.
SEVEN ROOMED HOUSE, Situated on the Work Estate, modern conveniences, $1800. Terms $600 cash, balance to suit.
YATES ST.—Lot 60x120, close in, to be sold at a sacrifice for an immediate sale.
GRANT AVE. AND ALFRED ST.—4 lots with 120 feet frontage on each street, beautifully situated on a gentle slope. For the 4, $3,200. Terms.
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HILLSIDE AVE.—Beautifully situated lots. $500. Terms.
CAREY RD.—Four lots, 120x240, facing on three streets; small cottage and buildings, 57 fruit trees, good water on premises; a snap. $1,650. Terms.
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WE HAVE CLIENTS for cottages from $1,500 to $2,500; also good Building lots. List your property with us. We can sell it if the price is right.

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LARGE FURNISHED HOUSE for rent for about three months, on Fort St.
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10 ROOM HOUSE, near car line, fifteen minutes walk from Post Office, $3,150.
400 ACRES Timber Lands, West Coast, $15 per acre.
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We have two 10-room houses centrally located, fully modern, immediate possession, with fruit trees and splendid grounds, for quick sale will sell cheap and on good terms.
EIGHT LOTS on Shakespeare Street and Edmonton Road. $440 per lot and good terms.
80 LOTS on Edmonton Road, high and dry; only $340 per lot, also good terms. This is a splendid buy.
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We have listed with us recently some lots and properties which we consider some of the best buys in the City. Call and see them.
LOTS corner Douglas and Queen street, at a price that will suit careful buyers.
OAK BAY property, 1-4 acre lots, at present prices is splendid buying.

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TWO LOTS—Old Esquimalt Road, inside city limits. $1,100. Terms.
NINE ROOMED HOUSE With basement, large lot 90x120, 21 fruit trees, situate near the fountain, Douglas street. Price $5,500.
THIRD STREET—Six roomed dwelling, modern conveniences, lot 50x123, $2,200
$2800.00 buys a new 5-roomed cottage with an additional room unfinished in attic. All modern conveniences, including furnace. Easy terms.
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A NEW 9 roomed house, just finished, close to High School, on good lot. Price $4,600. This is a bargain.

ONE of the best lots on Niagara Street, near Park. Price $1350. Cash $500.00.

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53 ACRES—Lake District, cheap, for immediate sale.
MODERN DWELLING HOUSE — Full sized lot, 10 minutes' from centre of city. Price only $4,500.
160-ACRE FARM—In Sooke district, fine situation, house and buildings.
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FORT STREET—Pretty modern 5 room bungalow with two lots, nice garden and shrubs. Price $4,000. Terms.
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Richmond Ave., off Oak Bay Ave. —8-roomed modern house, stable, etc., fruit trees, lot 60x135. Price $5,700

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2 lots, 50x135 ft. each, off Hillside Avenue. $450 each. Easy terms.

Choice and cheap lots, Oak Bay Avenue and James Bay.

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Four Good Milch Cows
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NOTICE

COURT HOUSE, VANCOUVER

Sealed tenders, superscribed "Tender for the purchase of Court House and site, Vancouver, B.C." will be received by the Honourable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works up to noon of the 3rd day of September, 1907, for the purchase of the Court House and the site on which it stands, being the block bounded by Hastings, Hamilton, Pender and Cambie Streets, situated in the City of Vancouver, B.C., being the property of the Province of British Columbia, together with all fixtures therein, but exclusive of all movable furniture, carpets and linoleum, etc., and the steel filing cabinets of the Land Registry Office contained therein.

Each tender shall be accompanied by an accepted bank cheque on a chartered bank of Canada in a sum equal to one-third (1-3) of the price mentioned in the tender, which will be forfeited if the tenderer fails to complete the purchase in accordance with his tender and with the terms mentioned herein. The balance of the purchase sum shall be paid in two equal annual instalments, with interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum on deferred payments. No interest, however, shall be charged until the purchaser is given possession of the property, which will be on or about the 1st day of December, 1909.

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

F. C. GAMBLE.
Public Works Engineer
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B.C., 2nd July, 1907. jy7

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On Easy Terms at Low Prices

Also large number of Five Acre Blocks of fine land with splendid view, close to the water, at from $200 to $500 per acre. Several pieces absolutely cleared. All the above land is within three miles of the Victoria post office on a splendid road.

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FOR SALE—FOUR CHOICE RESIDENCES
One 11 Rooms, 2 acres in gardens, fine oak trees. Price $12,000.
One 11 Rooms, ¾ acres in gardens, fine oak trees. Price $12,500.
One 10 Rooms, corner lot, central location, modern in every respect. Price $5,000.
One 8 Rooms, corner lot, one of the best locations in the city, grand view. Price $7,500.
Above are all substantially built and modern in every respect.
2 Bungalows, new 6 rooms, bath, pantries, etc. Price $3,650. 1-3 cash, balance easy terms.
House, 6 rooms, bath, pantries, etc with ½ acre on Esquimalt road, Price $5,000, ½ cash, balance easy terms.
A number of small houses and lots all parts of the city. $1,000 upwards.

Quick Sale
A Good
2-story House and Lot
60 x 120
On Church Hill. Will be sold at a bargain within next ten days

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LIMITED
28 FORT STREET

Corporation of the City of Victoria.

Tax Notices have been mailed to all known owners of Real Estate.

Any one not receiving same will please call at the Post Office or at the office of the undersigned.

CHAS. KENT,
Collector.
City Hall, Victoria, Sept. 6th, 1907.

NOTICE

Raymond & Sons
7 PANDORA STREET

Wish to inform their numerous patrons that they have in stock a full line of
Satin Finish English Enamel and American Onyx Tiles
The latest old and new styles in
Mantels, Full Sets of Antique Fire Irons and Fenders
Copied from designs that were in use during the seventeenth century.
We also carry Lime, Cement, Plaster of Paris, Building and Fire Brick, Fire Clay. Please call and inspect our stock before deciding.

CANCELLATION OF RESERVE

NOTICE is hereby given that the reserve, notice of which was published in the British Columbia Gazette and dated October 23, 1906, covering Township 4, Range V., Coast District, and the reserve, notice of which was published in the British Columbia Gazette and dated October 31st, 1906, covering Townships 1a 2a, and 3, Range V. Coast District, has been cancelled in so far as the said reserves effect the acquisition of said lands by pre-emption only.

Lands embraced in the previously reserved area will be open for pre-emption on and after December 26th, 1907.

ROBT. A. RENWICK,
Deputy Commissioner of Lands and Works.
Lands and Works department, Victoria, B. C., Sept., 23, 1907.

Parliament Buildings, Victoria

NOTICE is herey given that the driveways in front and rear of the Parliament Buildings, Victoria, ARE NOT PUBLIC THOROUGHFARES and may be used only by those who have business with the Department or are desirous of entering and viewing the building.

Automobiles, tally-hos or other vehicles carrying sight-seers may pass along the drive-way in front of the building, but at a speed not exceeding four miles an hour. Through traffic of any kind or description along the drive-way in the rear of the building is strictly prohibited.

By order of the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

F. C. GAMBLE.
Public Works Engineer.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., 1st August, 1907.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, for the information of intending settlers and others, that selection has been made of the 3,500,000 acres of land situated in the Peace River Valley, Province of British Columbia, granted to the Dominion Government under the provisions of Section 7 of "An Act relating to the Island Railway, the Graving Dock and Railway Lands of the Province," and such land is not open to entry under the Land Laws of the Province.

The block selected is described as follows: Commencing at a point 33½ miles south of the Peace River on the 120th Meridian, being the Eastern boundary of the Province, thence West 75 miles and 38.64 chains, thence North 72 miles and 35.03 chains, thence East 75 miles and 38.64 chains, thence south to the point of commencement, following the 120th Meridian and containing approximately 3,500,000 acres.

NOTICE IS ALSO GIVEN that, with a view to facilitating settlement in the Valleys of the Peace, Parsnip and Pack Rivers, the following belt of land forty miles in width and extending 20 miles on each side of the Peace, Parsnip and Pack Rivers has been reserved for actual settlers to be acquired by pre-emption only under the Land Act, such land not being open for sale, lease, license or other alienation under the said Act except by pre-emption.

Commencing at the intersection of the Western boundary of the block of land selected by the Dominion Government with the Peace River, thence following the Peace River and Parsnip River to their confluence with the Pack River and thence following the Pack River to the point where said Pack River leaves McLeod Lake, and extending for a distance of 20 miles on each side of said Rivers and approximately 170 miles in length.

All lands outside the boundaries of the Dominion Government Grant and the reserve above described are open for location under the laws of the Province.

W. J. BOWSER,
Acting Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.
Lands and Works Department, Victoria, September 13, 1907.

NOTICE.

The Municipal council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria having determined that it is desirable to construct and lay permanent sidewalks of concrete on the following streets, namely:

No. 1.—Russell street, west side, from Esquimalt road to the waterfront.
No. 2.—Queen's avenue, north side, from Blanchard street to Douglas St.
No. 3.—Cook street, east side, from Richardson street to Fairfield road.
No. 4.—Rockland avenue, north side, from Cook street to Linden avenue.
No. 5.—Burdette avenue, south side, from Blanchard avenue to Quadra St.
No. 6.—Fairfield road, north side, from Rupert street to Vancouver street.
No. 7.—Toronto street, south side, from Government street to Douglas St. Also to grade and macadamise.
No. 8.—McBride avenue, from Queen's avenue to Bay street.
Also to finish existing boulevards with loam, seeding down, planting trees and putting in water connections on the following streets, namely:
No. 9.—Richmond avenue, both sides, from Oak Bay avenue to Cadboro Bay road (Fort street).
No. 10.—Elford street, both sides, from Fort street to Pandora avenue.
No. 11.—Elliot street, south side, from Government street to Douglas street.
No. 12.—Clarence street, both sides, from Niagara street to Simcoe street.
No. 13.—South Turner street, both sides, from Simcoe street to Dallas road.
No. 14.—Superior street, both sides, from Government street to Douglas St.
No. 15.—Michigan street, south side, between Douglas street and Government.
No. 16.—Medana street, both sides, from Simcoe streets to Niagara street.
Also to construct permanent sidewalks, with boulevards, curbs and gutters on, and to grade and macadamise the following streets, namely:
No. 17.—Third street, from Bay street to Queen's avenue.
No. 18.—Linden avenue, from Rockland avenue to Fairfield road.
Also to construct permanent sidewalks of concrete, with boulevard, complete, seeded down, trees planted, water connections laid, curb and gutter, including grading and macadamising Burdette avenue from Vancouver street to Quadra street.

And that each and every of the said works shall be carried out in accordance with the provisions of the Local Improvement General By-law, and the City Engineer and City Assessor having reported to the council in accordance with the provisions of section 4 of the said by-law upon the said works of local improvement, giving statement showing the amount chargeable in each case against the various works of real property benefited thereby, and their reports having been adopted by the council on the 29th day of August inst.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the reports in question are open for inspection at the office of the City Assessor, City Hall, Douglas street.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
City Clerk's Office.
Victoria, B. C., August 29th, 1907.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATES OF JOHN WESLEY HASKINS AND ROSE HASKINS, LATE OF VICTORIA, B.C.

All persons indebted to either of the above named estates are requested to pay the amount of their indebtedness forthwith to the undersigned or to Sydney Child, Solicitor, for said estates, at 51 Fort street, Victoria, B.C., and all persons having claims against the said estate are required to send particulars of the same duly verified to the undersigned, or to Sydney Child, Solicitor for said estates, at the said address, on or before the 10th Sept., 1907, after which date the Administrator will proceed to administer the said estates, having regard only to such claims as are then before him.

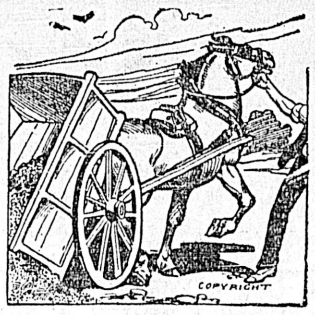
AUBREY A. BOND,
Administrator Estates of John W. and Rose Haskins.
Dated 8th July, 1907.

C. NEWTON YOUNG
Real Estate and Insurance Agent, Notary Public, Etc.
DUNCAN'S E & N. RAILWAY

PUBLIC NOTICE

Anyone wishing to communicate with me during my absence from Victoria, please address to me care of Victoria Post Office, B. C.

J. C. DAVIE, M. D.



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For prices and terms apply at the office of the undersigned.
Wm. W. NORTHCOTT.
Assessor.
City Hall, Victoria, B. C.,
September 12th, 1907.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF GEORGE TAYLOR, DECEASED, INTESTATE.

Notice is hereby given that all creditors and others having claims against the estate of George Taylor, late of Toronto and of Vancouver and Victoria, B. C., who died on or about the first day of September, 1907, are required on or before the 26th day of October, 1907, to send by prepaid post, or to deliver to the undersigned, Solicitors for Roy Taylor, the Administrator of the said Deceased, their claims against the estate of the said Deceased, duly verified by statutory declaration:

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that after such last mentioned date the Administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the Deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have notice, and the said Administrator will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claims notice shall not have been received by him at the time of such distribution.

Dated this 20th day of September, 1907
MASON & MANN,
Solicitors for the said Roy Taylor.
Rooms, 12-14 Five Sisters block, Government street, Victoria, B. C.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF JOSEPH BLACKBOURN, DECEASED.

Notice is hereby given that all creditors and others having claims against the Estate of Joseph Blackbourn, late of Victoria, who died on or about the 5th day of July, 1907, are required, on or before the 15th day of August, 1907, to send by prepaid post, or to deliver to the undersigned solicitors for Robert Charles Blackbourn and John Alexander Blackbourn, the executors of the last will and testament of said deceased, their claims against the estate of the said deceased, duly verified by statutory declaration:

And further take notice that after such last mentioned date the executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they then have notice, and the said executors will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claims notice shall not have been received by them at the time of such distribution.

BODWELL & LAWSON,
Solicitors for Robert Charles Blackbourn and John Alexander Blackbourn, 34½ Government street, Victoria, B.C.

NOTICE

Take notice that 30 days after date, I, James Harvey intend to apply to the Board of Licence Commissioners for the Cowichan district, for a transfer of my licence of the Mount Sicker Hotel to John Creedon.

Dated this 11th day of September, 1907
JAMES HARVEY,
Mount Sicker, B. C.

NOTICE

Municipal Elections, 1908

To Householders and License Holders of the City of Victoria:

The attention of the Householders and License Holders is respectfully directed to the necessity of lodging a Statutory Declaration claiming the right to vote at the forthcoming Municipal Election, during the month of October, the necessary declaration must be left with the undersigned before the first day of November, 1907. No declaration will be received after the 31st of October next.

Forms of declaration may be obtained, and the declaration made in the City Assessor's office, City Hall.

"WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,"
C. M. C.
Victoria, B. C., City Clerk's Office, Sept. 28th, 1907.

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ADDITIONAL MARINE

BRABLOCH BRINGS COAL HERE FROM AUSTRALIA

Sailing Ship Makes Fast Passage Bringing First Shipment of Fuel From Antipodes

Bringing a cargo of 1,500 tons of coke and 1,000 tons of coal from Newcastle, N. S. W., the British ship Brabloch sailed into the Royal Roads yesterday morning and will shortly be towed to Crofton smelter to discharge her coke at the island port. The Brabloch, whose master, Capt. Baxter, as well as the ship herself, is well known in Victoria, made a very fast passage on the voyage across the Pacific, being 51 days on the way from the Australian coaling port. Off Cape Flattery on Sunday she encountered a heavy southeast gale, which on Monday morning at 7 a. m. veered to the southwest and brought the vessel up the Straits at good speed. She sailed into the Royal roads.

This is the first time on record that a cargo of coal or coke has been brought from Australia to Vancouver island, the charter of the ship being due to the fuel shortage at the Vancouver island mines due to the great increase in the demand. The Crofton smelter lies within a stone's throw of coal mines being developed on a large scale; yet it was found profitable to buy a cargo in Australia and transport it across the Pacific.

The Brabloch has been chartered to load grain on the sound for the United Kingdom, and will probably take the 1,000 tons of coal brought from the Australian port to either Seattle or Tacoma.

Capt. Baxter of the Brabloch, when the ship lay in the Royal roads for a considerable time five years ago, was confined to the hospital owing to some injuries sustained on board the vessel.

The ships Joseph B. Thomas and W. F. Babcock are also on the way from Newcastle with coal and coke for the Vancouver island smelters.

SALVAGE OF THE OTTER CAUSES COMPLICATIONS

Owners of Pilot Want More for Services Than C. P. R. Are Willing to Pay

Unless the owners of the tug Pilot and the C.P.R. Steamship company arrange the amount of remuneration due to the tug for the service rendered in hauling the steamer Otter from Danger reef last week, the former having the idea that the service is worth about ten times what the latter consider should be paid, it is not improbable that a judge in admiralty will be called upon to settle the amount. The circumstances of the stranding and floating of the steamer according to her company come under the head of meritorious service, which should be remunerated on the ground of extraordinary towage according to her ship's company, but according to the Pilot's company the circumstances entitle the tug to salvage.

It seems that when the Otter went ashore on Danger reef she was going at a good speed and went well up on the reef. She listed and all hands left her and went onto the reef. Then they returned and sounded the vessel, which made water quickly and soon had four feet of water in the engine-room. The engineers went into this cold bath and worked to stop the ports and other apertures through which water was flooding, and then the master and a boat's crew went to Ladysmith for assistance. The tug Stetson was there and was proceeding to the rescue when the Pilot happened on the scene.

The master's boat had returned before the Pilot came, and the Otter's crew, fearing hat the boat was from some other vessel, they being unable to discern those in it in the darkness, hurried on board the Otter. The steamer in the meantime listed further and they left her and were in boats alongside when the Pilot hauled the vessel afloat.

The Pilot did not put her hawser on board the Otter, but one was taken from the Otter on board the tug. The tug, moreover, acted under instructions from the captain of the stranded steamer, whose crew joined her soon after she was floated. The Otter was then taken to Ladysmith and the tug Stetson and steamer Trader both assisted in pumping her free.

NEW VANCOUVER PILOT

Captain George Robarts Appointed to Fill Place of Late Captain Reardon

The vacancy in the Vancouver pilot service caused by the death of Captain J. R. Reardon has been filled by the appointment of Captain George Robarts, the appointment becoming effective yesterday morning. Captain Robarts passed his examination at Victoria on Saturday before Captain James Gaudin, agent of the marine department. There was keen competition for the position. The other Vancouver pilots are Captains Patterson, Jones, Robertson and Ettershank.

The steamer Montezuma from Antwerp landed her passengers at Quebec yesterday afternoon.

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When you want a quick cure without any loss of time, and one that is followed by no bad results, use
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It never fails and is pleasant to take. It is equally valuable for children. It is famous for its cures over a large part of the civilized world.

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Are being fast driven off the market by the overpowering merit of Polson's Nerviline which has more strength in one drop than is found in a quart of ordinary remedies. Full of pain subduing properties, healing and soothing, its influence on rheumatism, sciatica, and lumbago is unsurpassed. Polson's Nerviline is without question the best household liniment made. For nearly fifty years a staple in every drug store; get a 25c. bottle of Nerviline at once.

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Dallas Road; large house and 1¼ acres $10,500
Dallas Road; 6 roomed cottage and ½ acre 5,250
Esquimalt Road; 2 story house and about one acre 4,000
North Pembroke street; good 7-roomed brick house, etc..... 4,000

VACANT LOTS
Walker street, 12 lots $1,000
Hulton street, 1 lot, 53x113..... 550
Fort street, 1 lot, 60x120, runs to Mears 2,600
Craigflower Road, corner Dunsmuir, 2 lots 1,100

ACREAGE
Carey Road, 7 acres, with modern residence, 100 fruit trees, stables, etc. $7,000
Carey Road, 6 acres, fenced, 200 fruit trees $3,600
Hillside avenue, 1¼ acres 1,200
5 acre lots on Cowichan Harbor, per acre 100

COLLISION AT COMOX.

Steamer Ferndene Drags Anchors and Bumps Into Moana.

The steamer Ferndene, which arrived at Comox a few days ago for bunker coal, dragged her anchors during a blow yesterday afternoon and bumped into the Canadian-Australian liner Moana, which was also awaiting bunker coal. The Moano was lightly damaged, her rail being bent and some minor injury done.

Lonsdale Sails Today.

The steamer Lonsdale, which has been coaling at Ladysmith after loading cargo on the Fraser river and at Vancouver for Mexican ports, arrived here at midnight from the island port, and will sail today for Mexico. Several saloon passengers will embark here, among them being Mrs. Langton of this city, who is bound to City of Mexico via Salina Cruz to visit her parents.

The steamer Vadso of the Boscowitz Steamship company, which will commence her service today, leaving at 11 p.m. for Naas and way ports, went to Ladysmith yesterday to coal.

While engaged in lifting the buoy being replaced at Port San Juan by one of the new eleven-ton whistling buoys and beacons, the new mast placed in the tug William Jolliffe snapped, and the steamer returned to Esquimalt to step another. She will proceed tomorrow to the west coast to take the buoy that has been replaced to Kyoquot, where it will be used.

The bark Hesper, under charter to load lumber at Vancouver for Mexico, has arrrived at Port Townsend.

The British bark Ventura and British ship Edenmore have arrived at Seattle with cement from England, and both report having encountered terrific storms off Cape Horn. Capt. David Jones of the Edenmore brings word that off Cape Horn, about June 24, he was in company with a ship which answers the description of the lost British ship Glencairn. At this time the Edenmore was in a heavy sea, and unable to speak the vessel, which was some distance away. Captain Jones is probably the last master to see the Glencairn, which has been posted as lost for several months.

The wreck of the steamer Tellus, which is breaking up at North Spit, Gray's harbor, has been sold to San Francisco people for $250. This price includes the cargo of coal on board, and efforts will be made to save part of this and some of the scrap from the wreck. Captain Berg will arrive here in a few days and will proceed to San Francisco on the steamer Governor tomorrow. The investigation will be held at San Francisco.

NOTICE TO JURORS

Notice is hereby given that all Grand and Petit Jurors summoned to attend a sitting of the Court of Assize on Thursday the 10th day of October next, are excused from attendance the sitting of the Court on that day having been cancelled.

F. G. RICHARDS,
Sheriff.
Sheriff's office, Victoria. September 26th, 1907.

Houses and Lots for Sale
Also Farms and Ranches.
List your properties for sale with me.
G. B. Hughes
REAL ESTATE AGENT,
50 Yates Street, Victoria, B. C.

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WANTED — BRIDGE CARPENTERS, today, must have tools, long job, best wages, only capable men need apply. Duryee, 44 Fort street. o2

BREAD
Owing to the exceedingly high price of flour, fuel, fodder, etc, the price of bread on and after Tuesday, October 1st, will be sixteen (16) loaves per $1 retail, and twenty (20) loaves per $1 wholesale. These prices are nett —no discount whatever will be allowed. Signed:—
D. W. Hanbury, G. Florence, Rennie & Taylor, J. C. Darling, J. C. Legg, C. F. Schilling, M. R. Smith & Co. Mr. Brown, Capital City Bky, L. Willie, J. Thompson, McMillan Bros.

TIME TO BUY YOUR HEATER

AND HERE IS THE PLACE TO BUY IT

THE STOVE DEPARTMENT is the most important section these days, especially in the Heater line. Now that the chilly evenings are at hand, a good Heater is an honest necessity, When purchasing a Stove or Heater, it is well to consider which is the best suited to your wants, as there is no telling what the chances will be in the fuel line this winter. Therefore, if you need a good economical COAL HEATER, here is the place to find it. If you want a good serviceable WOOD HEATER, you cannot do better than see the line we have before purchasing elsewhere. The same applies to our stock of COOK STOVES, RANGES, etc. The happy cook is no other than the one who has a perfect range, a range that runs smoothly, keeps a steady heat, and does its work satisfactorily. The baking qualities of our ranges are unequalled. See display in New Annex.

Climax Heaters

The Climax Heater is a very serviceable heater, and is made to burn either wood or coal. The doors in front are so arranged that they can be slid back, giving the appearance of an open grate. For a parlor heater this is very hard to beat, as the open front tends to make the room both homelike and cosy, at the same time throwing out extreme heat. The prices are: Wood lining $7.75, coal lining **$10.00**

The Franklin Parlor Heater

The Franklin Parlor Heater is a very handsome heater, and is made to fit in front of the fireplace, and is suitable for coal or wood. The doors can be slid back, giving the appearance of an open grate. Prices range from $12.00 to **$15.00**

The Coronation Range

The special feature of this handsome range is the fire back, which is guaranteed for fifteen years. The oven door is white enamel lined, retaining heat and preserving cleanliness. The oven damper is the popular simplicity sliding damper, while the oven top is cemented. The oven is as nearly square as is possible in utilizing all the space available for oven purposes without depriving the fire box of its liberal proportions, thereby giving the largest oven in the market for the size of the stove.

This range is the acme of perfection in wood burning ranges and we defy competitors to produce a better one. Created by genius and embellished by art, this perfect range sells on its quality. Prices range from $34.00 to **$57.00**

The Nugget Steel Range

This excellent range we offer as the very best that money can produce. Nothing has been spared in material or workmanship to make it so. The special feature is the conveniences. These are roll front high closet, drop tea pot stands, simplicity sliding damper, broiler door on left end and extended fire box for wood. It also has the duplex grate, which is reversible for coal or wood, without change. It is removable by simply swinging open the grate door and drawing out the complete grate and frame, while all the mountings in this A1 range is nickeled and is an excellent baker. Price, with reservoir and high closets $62.50 to **$70.00**

With Tea Shelf and no reservoir or high closet, $42.50 to **$50.00**

Empress Air-Tight Heaters

For Wood

The Empress Airtight Heater is of the very latest design and is indeed a very handsome addition to any room, as it is very ornamental with heavy nickel plated mountings, is lined with sectional cast iron lining, which will last for years. The body is made of heavy planished steel and the top and bottom of cast iron. Prices are $10.75, $11.50 and **$14.50**

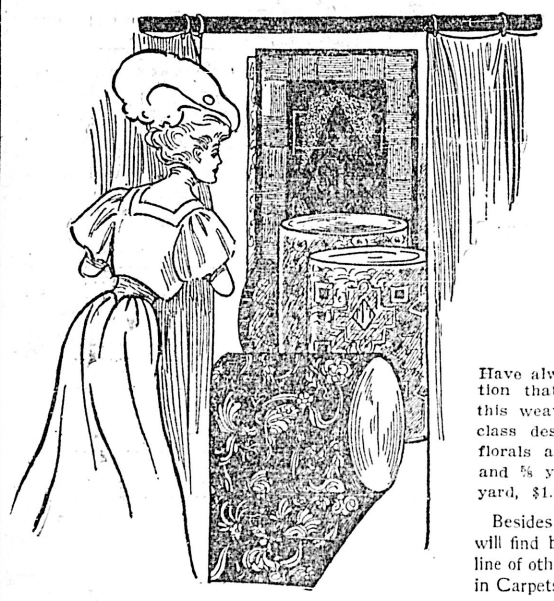
Vancouver Cook Stove

has 4 holes, and is for wood only. This stove is the cheapest, considering the quality, that is on the market. The oven size is 22 x 19 x 13 inches, fire box 8 x 23 in. Price **$17.50**

The Splendid Showing in Our Carpet Department is Hard to Beat

New Carpet Lines

Our assortment is being added to daily, and we can assure every interested housewife that an inspection of our stock is necessary to secure the best in the carpet trade, at the closest economy of price, so dear to the prudent buyer.



In speaking of our Carpet Department, we wish to emphasize the fact that it will be found complete in every detail, making this department a most pleasant spot to shop for those who are seeking new thoughts in home furnishing. Our line of Carpets includes everything that is new in Brussels, Wiltons, Velvets and Tapestry, while the harmonious blendings are indeed beautiful, and we are not afraid to say that our prices will be found the lowest in the city

Carpet Squares

Last week we called attention to the arrival of new Carpet Squares, but we have received this week so many new additions to our already large stock, that the temptation is too great to let pass of inviting you in to inspect postively the largest and most varied range of Carpet Squares ever shown in the city. We submit a few details as follows:

Axminster Squares
12 sizes and 4 qualities, at, each, from $9.50 up to **$57.50**

Wilton Squares
6 sizes and 3 grades, at, each, from $22.50 up to **$57.50**

Wool Ingrain Squares
6 sizes and 5 qualities, at, each, from $5.75 up to **$27.50**

Brussels Squares
7 sizes and 3 qualities, at, each, from $15.50 to to **$35.00**

Tapestry Squares
5 sizes and 4 qualities, at, each, from $8.50 up to **$22.50**

Velvet Squares
4 sizes and 2 qualities, at, each, from $21.00 up to **$35.00**

Axminster Carpets
For that mellow blending of color so much desired by persons of taste, we recommend an Axminster carpet, combining wear with appearance. This weave is shown in a wide range of patterns, with 5/8 borders and 3/4 stairs. Made and laid at, per yard **$2.00**

Wilton Carpets
This season we make a specialty of high grade Wilton Carpets at popular prices. The assortment is extensive and the values compare most favorably with goods shown elsewhere, at much higher prices. See our Wiltons at, per yard, $2.50, $2.00 and **$1.50**

Brussels Carpets
Have always received from us the attention that a good Carpet deserves, and this weave is shown in over sixty high class designs, in self shades, Orientals, florals and conventional effects, with 3/4 and 5/8 yard borders and 3/4 stair, at, per yard, $1.50, $1.40, $1.25 . . . . **$1.00**

Besides the few lines mentioned here you will find by visiting this section a complete line of other very artistic and beautiful effects in Carpets, Rugs, etc.

Japanese Cotton Rugs
36 x 72 inches, in blue and white and green and white, each **$2.75**

Brush Mats
For the wet weather we have provided a very large assortment of Brush Mats, in all grades and sizes, at, each, 25c, 50c, 65c, 75c, $1.00, $1.50, $2.00, $2.50, $3.50, **$4.50**

Linoleums and Oilcloths

Buying Linoleums and Oil Cloths in carlot quantities enables our making two important offerings, viz.:

NO. 1.—An immense range of patterns to select from. We have florals, blocks, parquetry and tile effects in unlimited quantities, and this feature alone would justify the tremendous sales we are making.

NO. 2.—Reliable cloths at modest prices. You are assured of being quoted the lowest possible prices that first quality linoleums and oilcloth can bes old for. We invite comparison of grades and prices.

OIL CLOTHS—All designs, in heavy weight, at per square yard **25c**

PRINTED LINOLEUMS—Wide sweep of patterns, at per square yard, 35c., 40c., 50c., and **65c**

INLAID LINOLEUMS—In qarquetry, tiles and floral designs, at, per square yard, 85c., $1.10 and **$1.25**

PLAIN BROWN LINOLEUM—At per square yard, 75c and **$1.00**

PLAIN CORK CARPET—In natural and sage colors, at, per square yard, $1.00 and **$1.25**

New Arch Grilles

We are showing the CELEBRATED SYRACUSE LINE OF GRILLES in a great variety of designs. These grilles are constructed entirely of the choicest white oak and thoroughly finished by hand in the popular wood shades. Prices vary from 35c up to $1.00 per foot. Corners and pedestals in many designs—all modestly priced.

Brass Drapery Fixtures

This week we have placed in stock an immense quantity of DRAPERY RODS AND TRIMMINGS, etc., including:

BRASS EXTENSION RODS, 30 inch to 54 inch, at, each, 5c, 10c, 15c, 20c, 25c and **35c**

BRASS EXTENSION RODS, 42 to 78 inch, 1/2 inch tubes, brass ball end, at . . **50c**

3/4-inch tubes spun brass end, each . **$1.00**

COTTAGE RODS, white ball ends, size 3/4-inch by 4 feet, at .. .. two for **25c**

BRASS POLING, wood filled brass case, 1 inch, at, per foot **12½c**

1½ inch, at, per foot **15c**

Curtain Materials—Madras Muslins

Make a very dainty and effective drapery, and are shown by us in plain ecru at 35c, 40c, 50c and **60c**

ECRU GROUND, with relief in reds, greens, blues or rose, at, per yard, 50c and **65c**

Other Colors, in Oriental and Art Nouveau and heavy floral effect, at 65c, 75c, up to **$1.75**

Ask to be shown our New 36 inch MADRAS MUSLIN, in many handsome color effects, at only, per yard **25c**

Moquette Rugs
27 in. x 54 in., at **$2.50**
36 in. x 63 in., at **$3.75**

Smyrna Rugs
78 in. x 36 in., at, each . . **$1.25**
26 in. x 54 in., at, each . . **$1.50**
30 in. x 60 in., each $2.75 and **$4.00**
36 in. x 72 in., each $4.50 and **$5.00**

Mohair Plush Rugs
12 in. x 30 in., at **$1.25**
18 in. x 36 in., at **$2.25**
30 in. x 64 in., at **$6.75**
All Colors.

Wilton Rugs
27 in. x 54 in., each $3.50 and **$3.75**
36 in. x 63 in., each $5.00 and **$5.50**
36 in. x 72 in., each **$7.75**

Axminster Rugs
18 in. x 36 in., at $1.00 and **$1.25**
30 in. x 64 in., at $3.00 and **$3.50**
36 in. x 72 in., at $4.50 and **$6.75**
36 in. x 78 in., at **$7.50**

Togo Bath Mats
18 in. x 36 in., at **$1.50**
27 in. x 54 in., at **$2.75**
36 in. x 63 in., at **$4.00**

A Showing of Fall Footwear to Suit Everybody

This Department in the Store is getting known far and wide as the place to get what you want, at the "Less Price."

We have shoes for every class and occupation, from the very heaviest to the most daintiest high class footwear, and every style known to the world of Shoedom will be found here.

In fact we can suit the most chronic kicker, and fit both usual and unusual feet, besides fitting the purse as well as the person with absolute satisfaction. Satisfied customers are our best advertisement, and our prices save you money, while our footwear saves your feet.

MEN'S OIL GRAIN LOGGERS, per pair **$4.00**
MEN'S WORKING MAN'S LACE BOOTS, nailed sole. Per pair . **$3.00**
MEN'S PATENT COLT BLUCHER CUT LACE BOOT. Per pair **$5.00**
MEN'S STANDARD LACE BOOTS, medium sole. Per pair **$2.50**
MEN'S BOX CALF LACE BOOT, welt sole. Per pair **$4.00**
WOMEN'S BOX CALF LACE BOOT, whole foxed, heavy sole. Per pair **$2.50**
WOMEN'S CALF LACE BOOTS, medium sole. Per pair **$2.00**
WOMEN'S DONGOLA KID LACE BOOTS, welt sole. Per pair . . **$3.00**
MISSES' BOX CALF LACE BOOT, medium sole, size 11 to 2. Per pair **$1.75**
BOYS' LACE BOOT, oil grain, heavy sole, size 1 to 5. Per pair.....**$1.75**
LITTLE GENTS' BOX CALF LACE BOOTS, 8 to 10½. Per pair . . **$1.25**
CHILD'S DONGOLA BUTTON BOOTS, 4 to 7. Per pair **75c**
INFANTS' SOFT SOLE LACE BOOTS, 1 to 4. Per pair **25c**

A Distinctive Showing of Fine Parlor Furniture

Our Furniture Section is right in the lead in the nature of complete variety and distinctness in Parlor Furniture, elaborate Suites in rare and costly woods, as well as the most favored materials of more moderate prices, also a vast collection of single pieces of beauty, economy and choice furniture that findeth its way into the very exclusive parlors. Third Floor

Splendid Values in the Staple Dept.

DAMASK SIDEBOARD SCARFS, size 16 x 54. Each.. .. .. **50c**
HONEYCOMB WASHSTAND COVERS, pink, yellow and amber stripes, each **35c**
LARGE VARIETY OF EIDERDOWN QUILTS, sateen and silk covered, from $6.75 to **$45.00**
DAMASK BREAKFAST and LUNCH CLOTHS, size 36x36, 56x56, each **75c**
DAMASK CLOTHS, size 45x45, 52x52, 56x56, 62x62, 36x45, each **$1.00**
DAMASK CLOTHS, size 62x66, each **$1.25**
UNBLEACHED LUNCH CLOTHS, hemstitched, size 50x50, each . . . **50c**
UNBLEACHED LUNCH CLOTHS, hemstitched, size 42x42, each . . . **75c**
FRINGED HUCK TOWELS, red border, size 20 x 40. Per dozen **$2.00**
HEMSTITCHED HUCK TOWELS, size 20 x 40. Per dozen **$3.00**
HUCK TOWELS, hemstitched, extra heavy quality. Per dozen **$3.60**
FRINGED HUCK TOWELS, red border, heavy quality. Per dozen . . . **$4.50**
HUCK TOWELS, hemstitched and fringed, size 27 x 45. Per dozen **$6.00**

Sterling Values from the Dress Goods Section

Nothing within the limits of good taste is missing from the now fully complete stock of fine dress goods for fall. Any lady could stand the whole day looking through these vast assortments, which are indeed beautiful in the extreme, but what is more surprising is the decidedly moderate prices which follow the Spencer Way of Merchandising.

FRENCH DELAINES, light weight washing fabric, suitable for blouses, latest fancy effects in spot and fringed designs. Per yard **50c**

FRENCH FLANNELS, all wool, suitable for wrappers and kimonas. New fall patterns, 27 in. wide. Per yard . **50c**

COLORED PANAMAS, medium weave, just the thing for stylish suits, in greens, browns, light and dark navys, cardinal and cream, 38 in. wide **65c**

SHEPHERD'S CHECK fine quality, good weight for tailored suits, 54 in. wide. **$1.00**

TWEED SUITINGS, good length, specially adapted for tailored suits or separate skirts, in checks and stripes, dark grounds, 54 in. wide. Per yard **$1.00**

ASTRACHAN, rich heavy curl, similar to Persian lamb, for coats, in grey and cream, 54 in. wide. Per yard . **$2.50**

TODAY'S SPECIALS

LADIES' RAINCOATS at special prices.
LADIES' COTTON VESTS, reg. 50c, today .. **25c**
MEN'S LACE BOOTS, values $5.50 and $6.50. Today **$3.95**

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TODAY'S SPECIALS

HAVILAND CHINA SOUP PLATES, reg. 35c., today **15c**
BAVARIAN CHINA CAKE PLATES, reg. 75c and $1.00. Today 50c and **35c**